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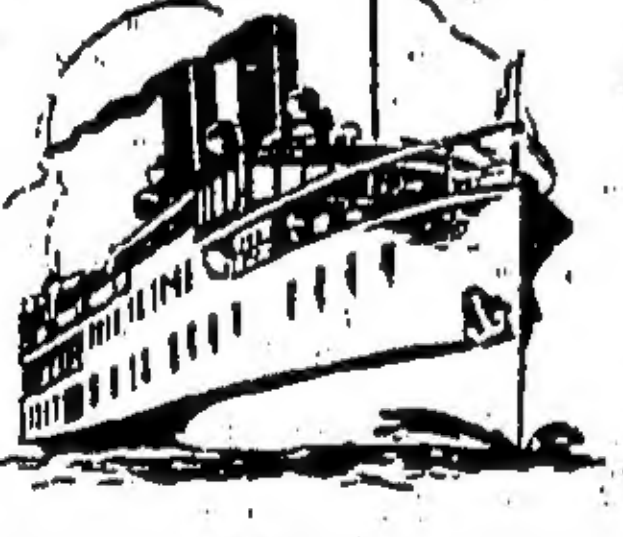
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Mr. Stapleton is still hale and hearty for his three score years and ten, and well-wishers sincerely hope that he will celebrate many more birthdays to come.

"DORADO"

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TO-MORROW

AT THE QUEEN'S THEATRE

NATIONALISTS' OFFENSIVE

Famous Monastery Fired At

Avila, Oct. 29. Escorial, the famous monastery north-west of Madrid, was subjected to gun-fire from the Nationalists offensive but progress was slow due to the extremely difficult terrain and mountains which rise to a height of over 6,500 feet.

Artillery stationed at the foot of the mountains to the south, carried on spasmodic bombardment on the Government positions which extend from the town of Escorial to the capital, along the side of the mountains.

Another detachment of Nationalists are attempting to force the defenders back into the town and beyond it into the mountains in order to establish connection with the troops stationed at Navas del Marques, while a third detachment under the command of Colonel Rada is advancing from El Espinal to the village of Peguerinos which lies in the valley before Escorial.

The Militia attempted to storm the Nationalists position at the foot of the mountains on Wednesday but finally retreated after a severe machine gun battle in which hand grenades were employed.

—Associated Press Service.

SOVIET VESSELS FIRED ON

Rabat, Oct. 29. Two Soviet vessels are on fire in the Barcelona Roads.

They caught fire following a raid by Nationalist aircraft, according to an insurgent broadcast.

The broadcast also states that Portugal has addressed a note to Burgos recognising General Francisco Franco as head of the Spanish state.

—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

ARMS EMBARGO ON SPAIN

Lifting It Might Be War

London Oct. 29. Last night the National Council of Labour issued a statement calling for the lifting of the arms embargo under the non-intervention agreement in favour of the Spanish Government. Towards end of his speech, the Foreign Secretary referred to this statement.

He declared that despite all the difficulties, real and numerous enough, the Agreement was still working. No single Government out of twenty-six participating had withdrawn from the agreement—not even Russia. The Government could not therefore accept the Labour suggestion any more than the French Government could, judging from the attitude assumed by the French Ambassador in the International Committee.

The only alternative policy was to free the export of arms to both sides. In that way lay confusion in international recrimination and it might be war.

—British Wireless.

FIGHTING PLANES BOUGHT BY SPAIN

Paris, Oct. 29. The Madrid Government has purchased 15 fast fighting planes in the United States, according to a report received here from the Spanish capital. It is added that several canons, boats and other naval craft have been purchased abroad by the Madrid Government and that some of these have arrived in Spanish ports on Wednesday.

—Transocean News Service.

NEW APPOINTMENTS

London Oct. 29. The following ministerial appointments were announced this afternoon.

Mr. Walter Elliot to be Secretary for Scotland, vice the late Sir Godfrey Collins. Mr. W. S. Morrison to be Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, vice Mr. Walter Elliot.

Lieutenant-Colonel D. J. Colville to be Financial Secretary to Treasury, vice Mr. Morrison.

Mr. H. S. Wedderburn to be Parliamentary Undersecretary for Scotland, vice Mr. Colville.

The King has approved Mr. W. S. Morrison as a member of the Privy Council.

The Prime Minister has invited Mr. Hore Belisha, Minister of Transport, to be a member of the Cabinet.

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DEFENCE PROGRAMME

Conditions Of Contract

Under the Defence Programme large numbers of contracts for war material will be placed with engineering firms possessing little or no experience of such contracts or of manufacturing the particular kinds of articles which they will now be required to produce on a considerable scale. In many such cases, new machinery and even new buildings will be necessary for the execution of the contract, and this introduces unusual complications into the conditions of contract.

Apart from other considerations it is necessary, for political reasons, that the Government, in entering into contracts for war material, should provide against the possibility of their commitments exceeding the national needs in certain eventualities which cannot be predicted. It is customary to make this provision by means of a "break clause," and it is of vital importance to the contractor that he should give his careful consideration to the wording and implications of such a clause, when preparing his tender and negotiating a contract, with the object of providing against the risk of the economic basis of his contract being upset by premature stoppage of production or by changes in the volume of work and the period of its production. The saving to the Government effected by the operation of a break clause should not be at the expense of the contractor, and he will be well advised to see that he is protected in this respect. This protection, however, must necessarily be limited to compensation for expenditure actually incurred, including irrevocable liabilities properly undertaken in respect of a contract but which have not yet matured for payment. There can, of course, be no compensation for the loss of an expected profit on the cancelled part of a contract.

In some cases, the risk to the contractor has been removed or minimised by dividing the contract into two or more consecutive periods, of time each corresponding to a specified output, and providing that the contract department concerned, not less than three months before the expiration of a period, shall give notice thereof if it be the intention not to require the output contingently contracted for in respect of the next ensuing period.

This, of course, means that there would be no break during a period or planned production on account of which the contractor had entered into financial commitments. This is a valuable precedent to be borne in mind.

The Great War left in its train some disastrous losses of capital expended on additional buildings, machinery and plant, to meet the abnormal war demands to which peace-time requirements were never likely to approximate.

The impossibility of employing them profitably after the war converted a large proportion of these temporary assets into heavy liabilities. With this lesson in their minds, engineering firms are naturally very fearful of increasing their capital commitments for the purpose of expanding their productive capacity to meet the Defence Programme requirements. If the Government had not decided to relieve the contractor of this risk, where necessary, it is doubtful whether it would have been possible to carry out the Defence Programme within the prescribed time.

The Government have boldly met this difficulty by undertaking to finance approved additions to the contractor's machinery and plant, on the condition that they are to be and to remain Government property. Another condition is that the contractor shall maintain this Government property in serviceable condition and hold it at the disposal of the Government for six years from the date of his first contract. The maintenance expenses to be borne by the Government. It is recognised that it would be an extravagance to allow potentially productive machinery, &c., to remain idle, if at any time it should be possible for the contractor to use the whole or any part of it for the execution of commercial contracts. Furthermore, the reasonable use of such machinery and plant would be the best way of maintaining it in good serviceable condition.

For these reasons it has been provided in Special Conditions of Contract that the Government, as and when occasion arises, may give permission for the whole or part of the productive equipment, which is the property of the Government, to be used by the contractor in consideration of his paying an agreed rental—"Engineering."

OFFICIALDOM RESHUFFLES

New Arrangement Made In Canton

In order to enlighten the expenditure, Mr. Wong Ying-yu Commissioner of the Provincial Department of Civil Affairs, has decided to change the internal arrangement of the Department as from 6 departments into 4 departments.

It is learned that General Affairs Department will be the first; Shipping, Highways and Long distance Telephone Dept. will be the second; Agriculture and Forestry Department will be the third; and Industry and Mining department will be fourth.

Messrs. Chen Tung-chi, Chen Kwan-wei, Chow Man-kong and Liu Sook-toa, according to the news, have been reappointed as head of the 1st, the 2nd, the 3rd and the 4th departments respectively. "Canton Daily Sun."

NATIONAL CERTIFICATES

The Institution of Electrical Engineers, in conjunction with the Board of Education, is prepared to approve schemes submitted by technical colleges and schools in England and Wales for the award of national certificates and diplomas in electrical engineering under approved conditions. Ordinary and higher certificates will be awarded in respect of part-time grouped courses, and ordinary and higher diplomas in respect of full-time grouped courses. Colleges and schools seeking the approval of schemes must submit these, in the first instance, to the Board of Education, Whitehall, London, S.W.1, by whom the necessary forms will be supplied. A pamphlet in which the arrangements and conditions for the award of these certificates and diplomas are set out in detail may be obtained from

MIGRATION TO CANADA

Talk of a resumption of migration to Canada is discounted by the unemployment that still exists in the Dominion in spite of the general recovery there and in the United States. According to the Royal Bank of Canada, unemployment, in fact, continues to be a major problem in both countries. There are, it is reckoned, between ten and a half and twelve million unemployed in the United States and between 600,000 and 750,000 in the Dominion, the lower figure in both cases being nearer the mark. Both estimates were taken in July, when the seasonal factor is favourable to a high level of employment. "In neither country," the Royal Bank of Canada says, in its "September Letter," "has unemployment been reduced to a reasonable magnitude, but at no time during the depression, or since, has it been so large proportionately in Canada as in the United States. Canada has travelled half of the road to recovery; the United States one-quarter only."

Canada's position, it is added, is more favourable than that of the United States in almost every one of the major categories of employment, viz., mining transportation and manufacturing. The most pronounced recovery in the United States has been in agriculture, street railways, telegraphs and transportation, although in the last-named the index figure of 60.9 is surpassed by Canada's 72.3. "Engineering."

BIG DOCKYARD PLANNED

Dairen. At a cost of ¥5,000,000, the South Manchuria Railway Company is planning to build a big dockyard in Manchuria, near Dairen. According to present plans, the dockyard will be completed in three years.

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GAMBLING

"No Good To Community"

(BY "SCRUTATOR")

Gambling is the immoral use of life and the things of life, wherein they are unintelligently risked for unmerited gain. Some people, of course maintain that it is a human instinct. Life, we are told is a huge gamble; business is a gamble, marriage is a lottery, indeed every venture which as human beings we enter upon is in certain respects said to be a gamble.

But, this is a broad and inexact use of the word; adventure is the word which is really intended and which should be used. The difference between adventure and gambling is the difference between responsible behaviour and irresponsible madness. In an adventure we set out, it is true, uncertain of what the result will be, but there is such a thing as human wisdom and an inheritance of knowledge which it behoves every intelligent man and woman to use. Failure or refusal to use this intelligence is indulgence in madness, call it by whatever name you choose. It is a throwing away of something precious in oneself, and such a procedure is gambling. It cannot be thought of under any circumstances as a real adventure. It denies the use of intelligence, and substitutes chance for wisdom. You may venture your all and fail, but your failure would not merit condemnation. No sane man would have condemned the pilots of the China Clipper if they had failed to make Hong Kong; no one would condemn an artist if, after conscientiously working and studying, he failed to produce a world's masterpiece; no man condemns Jesus of Nazareth because he failed to overthrow the rule of mammon and set up the Kingdom of God securely in the lives of men. Adventure, be it successful or not, is part of the moral and legitimate lives of human beings in a world like this—it is a great and essential part! Failure to adventure is failure to live. But adventure is not gambling!

STAGGERING EXTENT
Gambling is still the extent of it is staggering to the mind. It is impossible to give detailed statistics of its growth in the short space at our disposal. The mediums of betting are numerous, they include horse racing, football betting, greyhound racing, lotteries of all kinds, sweepstakes, raffles and prize-draws. In 1923, the Select Committee on Betting Duty in Great Britain estimated that the total betting stakes on horse racing alone, in that country, amounted to two hundred million pounds per annum. In 1928 the Betting Tax was levied on a turnover of nine million pounds, and evasion of the tax amounted to at least 50 per cent. There are one hundred thousand people employed in betting organisations and devoted to the propagation of gambling.

DISHONESTY
Gambling has not a single item of good to contribute to the life of the community. At the best, all that can be said about it, is that it is a fairly innocent accompaniment of certain kinds of sports, on the other hand there is abundant evidence of its serious anti-social effects. It is for such reason that the English Football Association has always been opposed to gambling in connection with that game. They believe that gambling is the "antithesis of genuine sportsmanship, and a serious danger to that valued element of social life." It is a contributory factor to crimes of many natures. A Home Office memorandum 1923 states: "It is an undoubted fact that can be established by overwhelming evidence... that a large proportion of offences of dishonesty committed by first offenders are attributable to excessive betting."

NEW FEATURE

A comparatively new but very serious feature of gambling is its growth among women. Its effects on home-life are disastrous. Their plea is that it brings relief to the monotony of their existence and the drabness of their circumstances. In charity this must be admitted, but it is a condemnation of their conditions and not a justification of gambling. Gambling aggravates the problems of poverty, and dissipates a personal power that might be at the disposal of the true interests of life. The stability of social life requires a true sense of the value and function of money, but gambling is one of the greatest contributory causes of the present world chaos, for the gambling spirit is carried into so-called legitimate business, finance and there it has incalculable evil consequences in the lives of every man and woman alive. While there is a necessary risk that must cover in the development of business, there has emerged behind this, a form of speculation which is a definite hindrance to true commerce. Margin speculations and other forms of mere difference transactions are governed by the same purpose as gambling.

Gambling challenges that view of life which is presented in Jesus Christ. It is a glorification of mere chance, denying the divine intelligence revealed in nature and her processes. The attempt to make profit out of the inevitable loss of others, which is inseparable from gambling, is the very opposite of the love for one's neighbour on which Jesus Christ always insisted, and for which, in insistence, he died.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

NOTICES.

1st. November, 1936. 21st Sunday after Trinity. All Saints' Day. 8 a.m.—Holy Communion. 8 a.m.—Holy Communion in Peak Church.
10 a.m.—Kindergarten and Children's Service.
11 a.m.—Choral Eucharist.
Preacher: Rev. N. V. Halward.
6.30 p.m.—Evensong.
Preacher: Rev. H. W. Baines.
"The Coming of Christ" Israel's History (1).

Weekdays.

Holy Communion is celebrated on—
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7.30 a.m.
Wednesday, at 7.30 a.m. in the Peak Church and 10.15 a.m. in the Cathedral (with prayers for the sick).
Friday at 7.45 a.m. (in Cantonese).

OTHER NOTICES

Monday, November 2nd.—All Souls' Day. Holy Communion, Commemoration and thanksgiving at the Chapel of the Ascension, Happy Valley. 10.15 a.m.
Monday, November 2nd.—3 p.m. Women's Guild Meeting, Cathedral Hall.
Thursday, November 5th.—10.15 a.m. Women's Guild Committee Meeting, Cathedral Hall.
Thursday, November 5th.—3 p.m. M.C.L. Whist Drive, Cathedral Hall.

EVENING SERMONS

(at 6.30 p.m.)

"The Coming of Christ."
A course of sermons on this title will be preached in preparation for Christmas. Studies from the Old Testament for November will be—
November 8th.—Israel's History (2).
November 15th.—Amos and Hosea.
November 22nd.—Isiah.
November 29th.—Advent Sunday.

SPECIAL SERVICES IN THE AUTUMN

(at 11 a.m.)

November 8th.—Armistice Sunday.
November 11th.—Armistice Day. Holy Communion of Commemoration at 8 a.m.
November 15th.—Aviation Service.
November 29th.—Missionary Sunday.
December 27th.—Cathedral Sunday.

ROSARY CHURCH KOWLOON

The following are the forthcoming services at the Rosary Church, 20 Chatham Road—Kowloon.

Sunday, November 1.—22nd Sunday after Pentecost.

ALL SAINTS' DAY

At 6.30 Mass with sermon in Chinese.
At 7.30 Mass with sermon in English.
At 8.30 Mass with sermon in Portuguese.
At 9.30 Mass with sermon in English, followed by the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction.
At 2 p.m. Catechism in Chinese.
At 2.30 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Monday, November 2.—Solemn Commemoration of all Souls. Four low Masses in succession starting at 5.30 a.m. High Requiem Mass, followed by the Absolution at the Cathedral, at 7.30 a.m.
Low Mass at 9 a.m.
Plenary Indulgence TOTIES QUOTIES, applicable to the Souls only.

N.B.—At 5 p.m. there will be at the Happy Valley Cemetery an Evening Service with sermon and the presence of the Faithful is solicited.

Wednesday, November 4.—Meeting of the C.Y.M.S. at 6 p.m.
Thursday, November 5.—Meeting of the Ladies' Union at 11 a.m. Holy Hour with sermon from 8 to 7 p.m.

Friday, November 6.—Devotion of the First Friday of the Month in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.
Low Masses at 5.45 and 6.30.
Choral Mass with General Communion, followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, at 7.30.
General Choir Practice, at 8 p.m.
On week-days: Mass at 6.30 and 7.30.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

(Church of England)

ALL SAINTS' DAY TO-MORROW

Events for Week

The following are the Services etc., for the forthcoming week at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon.
21st Sunday after Trinity: All Saints' Day.
Holy Communion, 8.15 a.m.
Matins and Sermon, 11 a.m.
Preacher: The Vicar (The Revd. J. R. Higgs).
Subject: The Present State of the Departed.
Evensong and Sermon, 6.15 p.m.
Preacher: The Rev. N. V. Halward, M.C.

Sunday Schools: The Young people's Service is held in Church at 9.45 a.m.

Leader: Miss Steele. The Primary Department meets in the hall at 10 a.m.

Leader: Mrs. J. R. Higgs.
Monday: The Fellowship of Youth meets at 6 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club Badminton Trials, 9 p.m.
Tuesday: The Mothers' Union meet at 3 p.m.

Speaker: Miss Brazier.
The Brownie Pack meets at 3.30 p.m.

Wednesday: The Wolf Cubs meet at 5.30 p.m.

Rover Scouts meet at 8.45 p.m.
Thursday: Kowloon Women's Charities Games Afternoon at 3 p.m.

Boy Scouts at 6 p.m.
St. Andrew's Club "Open Night," 9 p.m.

Friday: There will be a full choir practice at 6.30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hong Kong.

Subject: "Everlasting Punishment."

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches to-morrow, November 1, will be "Everlasting Punishment."

The Golden Text will be "Abhor that which is evil; cleave to that which is good." (Romans 12: 8.) Amongst others, the following citations from the Bible will be read.

"My son, if sinners entice thee, consent thou not. For their feet run to evil, and make haste to shed blood. The righteousness of the perfect shall direct his way; but the wicked shall fall by his own wickedness. Every one that is proud in heart is an abomination to the Lord; though hand join in hand, he shall not be unpunished. By mercy and truth iniquity is purged; and by the fear of the Lord men depart from evil. When a man's ways please the Lord, he maketh even his enemies to be at peace with him. Wherefore doth a living man complain, a man for the punishments of his sins? Let us search and try our ways, and turn again to the Lord. Let us lift up our heart with our hands unto God in the heavens." (Proverbs 1:10, 11, 15, 16: 5-7. Lamentations 3: 38-41).

The Lesson Sermon will also include the following passages from the Christian Science Textbook "Science and Health with key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy.

"Do you ask wisdom to be merciful and not to punish sin? Then 'Ye ask amiss.' Without punishment, sin would multiply. Divine Science reveals the necessity of sufficient suffering, either before or after death, to quench the love of sin. To remit the penalty due for sin, would be for Truth to pardon error. Escape from punishment is not in accordance with God's government, since justice is the handmaid of mercy. Does not Science show that sin brings suffering as much to-day as yesterday? They who sin must suffer. It is error to suffer for ought but your own sins. Christ, or Truth will destroy all other supposed suffering, and real suffering for your own sins will cease in proportion as the sins cease. Christian Science commands man to master the propensities,—to hold hatred in abeyance with kindness, to conquer lust with chastity, revenge with charity, and to overcome deceit with honesty. Choke these errors in their early stages, if you would not cherish an army of conspirators against health, happiness and success. The good man can finally overcome his fear of sin. This is sin's necessity, to destroy itself. Immortal man demonstrates the government of God, in which is no power to sin." (Pages 10, 36, 37, 391, 405.)

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong

21st Sunday after Trinity, November 1, 1936.—

Morning Order of Service by Rev. Erris Tribbeck at 10.15, English Methodist Church opposite R.N. Hospital.
Hymns No.: 969 (Almsgiving); 927 (Melcombe); 916 (Bullinger, A.T. 21); 32 (Maryton); 525 (Ar Hyd Y Nos).
Lessons: Judges 7, 1-14; St. John 10, 1-18.

Evening Order of Service by Rev. Erris Tribbeck at 7.15, English Methodist Church opposite R.N. Hospital.
Hymns No.: 21 (Leon) verses 1-4; 809 (Londonderry Air); 499 (Shelley); 948 (Eventide).
Lessons: Daniel 5, 1-12 and St. John 10, 19-42.

Notices for the Week

1. Holy Communion 11.15 a.m. on Sunday, November 1. Communion Hymn No. 772.

2. Camera Club: Further details from Mr. A. M. M. Stephen, B.Sc., Hon. Secretary or the Secretary, S. & S. Home.

3. Badminton Club meets on Mondays and Tuesdays at 7.30 p.m. Further particulars from Mr. W. Sprague, Hon. Secretary, or from the Secretary, S. & S. Home.

4. Vocational Training: The following courses will be held at the S. & S. Home beginning November: Marine Engineering, Electrical Installation, Motor, Radio, Practical Carpentry, Short-hand and Typewriting, Book-keeping, and Accountancy, Foreign Languages. The Chaplain will arrange for other courses if there is sufficient demand, and is willing to give information regarding correspondence courses in all subjects. Further information from the Chaplain or the Secretary, S. & S. Home.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH

The following are the services, etc., for the forthcoming week at St. Teresa's Church, Kowloon Tong:

Saturday, October 31.—SS Nemesius and Comp., Mm.

Sunday, November 1.—22nd Sunday after Pentecost—All Saints' Day.

7.00 a.m. First Mass with sermon in Chinese.

8.00 a.m.—Second mass with sermon in English by Rev. N. Maestrini General communion of the children of Mary.

9.30 a.m.—Third mass with sermon in English by Rev. A. Granelli followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

Annual Bazaar of St. Vincent de Paul Society.

At the vacant ground near Rosary Church; all the faithful are earnestly requested to attend. Official opening at 3.30 p.m.

Monday, November 2.—Solemn commemoration of all Souls.

8.15 a.m.—First mass followed by two more masses.

7.30 a.m.—Solemn High Requiem Mass followed by two low masses.

Tuesday, November 3.—St. Sylvia, Mother of St. Gregory the Great, P. and D.

8.15 p.m.—Meeting of the members of the Active Service Unit.

Wednesday, November 4.—St. Charles, Archbishop of Milan.

Thursday, November 5.—St. Zachary, Father of St. John the Baptist.

8.30 a.m.—Low Requiem mass for the repose of the souls of the faithful departed from St. Teresa's parish.

8.00 p.m.—Holy Hour Sermon will be preached by Rev. A. Granelli, followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Meeting of the promoters of the Apostleship of Prayer.

Friday, November 6.—St. Leonard of Port Maurice.

8.00 p.m.—Committee meeting at the St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S.

Saturday, November 7.—St. Hercules.

7.30 a.m.—Solemn requiem mass for the repose of the souls of the deceased of the parish.

Week days: masses at 6.30 and 7.30 a.m. Confessions are heard daily before and after both masses in Chinese, English, French, Spanish, Italian, and Portuguese.

KOWLOON UNION CHURCH

PREACHER ON SUNDAY

The Minister

A Sale of Work will be held on Saturday 7th November.

Sunday Services
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Sermon: "The Sacrament of the Body"

Holy Communion.
Evening Worship 6.30 p.m.
Sermon: "Self Surrender"

The Week's Announcements:
Monday:—8.45 p.m. Fellowship of Thought.

Tuesday:—8.30 p.m. Fellowship of Reflection.

Wednesday:—10 a.m. Women's Guild.
8.45 p.m. Hallow E'en Party and Y. P. S. 50 cents admission.

Friday:—3.30 p.m. Children Guild. Charge 20 cents.

5.45 p.m. Teacher Class.
8.45 p.m. Choir Practice.

Saturday:—3 p.m. Sale of Work: Admission Free.
8.45 p.m.—Whist Drive: 50 cents.

J. D. MacLean, Minister.

UNION CHURCH NOTICES

Morning Service, 10.30 a.m.
Evening Service, 6 p.m.

Preacher at both services, Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow.

The Morning Service will be for Harvest Thanksgiving. The Church Hall will be opened this morning for the receiving of gifts of all kinds which will later be given to the hospitals.

The Social Hour will be held after the Evening Service as usual.

The S.A.C.A. Meeting takes place in the Church Hall on Tuesday evening at 7.30 p.m.

The Helena May Christian Fellowship meets at 10.30 a.m. in the Institute on Friday morning.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the close of Morning Service next Sunday, which will be celebrated as Armistice Sunday.

KOWLOON TONG ANGLICAN CHURCH (3 Duke Street)

Corporate Communion and Breakfast.

The following are the Services and Notices for the forthcoming week:—

7.15 a.m.—Corporate Holy Communion followed by corporate breakfast.

9.00 a.m.—Matins and Children's Service.

Preacher: Mr. R. Ashton Hill.
6.30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.
Preacher: Mr. James C. I. Wong.

N.B.—Evensong reverts to 6.30 p.m. as from Nov. 1st.

Thursday, November 5.—Ladies' Guild Sewing Circle at 10 a.m.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Two interesting speakers addressed listeners from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station last night, speaking on the same subject in English and Chinese. The subject was the Society of St. Vincent de Paul and the speakers were Rev. George Byrne S. J. and Rev. Luke Fung.

Fr. Byrne is well-known in Hong Kong as a popular speaker on a wide range of subjects. He is at present acting as temporary Professor of History in the University of Hong Kong. Fr. Fung has in the few years since his ordination become one of the best-known figures in the Chinese Catholic community of Hong Kong. He is a former pupil of St. Joseph's College and still maintains a very close association with his old school. Very popular as a public speaker, he is in great demand as a preacher and lecturer.

The occasion of the two broadcast talks on the St. Vincent de Paul Society was the Annual Bazaar in its aid which will be held in Kowloon to-morrow afternoon.

evenings after office, or business hours to visiting the poor in their homes, and bringing with welcome material help, the light of sympathy into hovels until by the sun. Professor Ozanam who certainly deserved a holiday continued to work because, as he said, 'the poor have no holidays.'

If you ask what is the scope of the Society, the Founder replies: "No good work is foreign to its aims." The Society was established in Hong Kong as far back as 1883. On the current Report sheet the following headings are to be found: "Relief in Money and Provisions," "Shoes and Clothing" for poor children, "Medical Aid," "Housing Accommodation," "Pensions" for "Distressed Persons."

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BROADCAST APPEAL

Rev. Father Byrne's Interesting Talk

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHARITY

"It has been said that the poorer a man is, the nearer he must go to the stars—a poetic way of saying that grinding poverty drives the unfortunate poor to the miserable floor space, auctioned out by the well-to-do, at the top of slum tenement houses. For many who climb to the garret, the only release is the pauper's coffin," said the Rev. Father George Byrne, S.J., in a broadcast talk from 2.B.W. yesterday. His theme was entitled "United Hearts in a Broken Pledge," and he spoke in connection with the All France Fete, conducted by the St. Vincent de Paul Society to be held to-morrow at Kowloon, in aid of the poor and needy of the Colony.

THE BROKEN PLEDGE

Continuing the speaker said: Somewhere about 1820 in one of those garrets a man and a woman met at the bedside of a poor old woman. The man was Dr. Ozanam. The woman was his wife. Both were well-known in Lyons as ministering angels to the poor and the outcast. Neither was in robust health, so it came to pass that the doctor, on finding his wife one day clinging to the rickety stair-rail, exhausted after her climb, exacted a promise that in future she would not mount beyond the fourth floor. The promise was given on the understanding that the doctor, too, would come within its scope. The pledge was broken. They both met at the very top of an eight-story tenement. Disappointed or vexed? No, neither. The language of the heart is often different from the language of the head, and in the difference, it may be unreasonable without being unreasonable. We can well understand that Dr. and Mrs. Ozanam—already an ideal couple—found their hearts more closely united in the broken pledge. We can hardly say, as a fact of cold history, that the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was started in the cheerless attic; we may, however, believe that the lights of love illuminating the spirit of the Society radiated from the doctor and his wife. It was their son, Frederic Ozanam, who founded it.

In childhood, Frederic often heard his father say that a doctor must be ready to die for his patients. As he grew up he realised that his father did more: he lived for his patients of choice, the poor. "Afterwards," writes Fr. Brodrick in his Frederic Ozanam—a cheap little book full of interest from which we will quote these facts—He declared "that God's greatest gift to him in life had been the fashioning of his mother's heart. On her lap I learned Thy fear and in her looks Thy love."

My time limit prevents any detailed account of the life of the brilliant Frederic Ozanam; suffice it to say that he was brilliant in law, brilliant in letters. When the well-known French philosopher, Victor Cousin, as Minister of Public Instruction wrote to him, nominating him to the Chair of Commercial Law at Lyons University, knowing that their philosophies were not in harmony, he said: "I should have been much better pleased to have you in my own regiment, but I do not despair of it; and in any case, I am sure that with me or without me you will always love and serve the true philosophy."

Victor Cousin was right. Frederic Ozanam always served the "true philosophy" which is none other than the philosophy of love. It is because he served it so effectively that I am pleading here in Hong Kong, as others are pleading all over the civilized world, for the practical appreciation of the great work which Frederic Ozanam launched under the name of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. In May 1833 Ozanam met six like-minded men, and the great charitable organization was born. It is significant that, after the first Conference, "Frederic went back to his room, collected the logs and coal intended for warming it, and carried them to a poor old woman. He was in the habit of visiting. Well did an orator style it 'symbolic fuel which would start throughout the world a huge conflagration of charity.'" (Brodrick, p.30).

SYMBOLIC OF WORK

Ozanam's act is symbolic of the work carried on by the Vincent de Paul members. Be it noted all laymen who devote many of their

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EMMANUEL MISSION CHURCH

(UNDENOMINATIONAL)

The following are the Services for the week at Emmanuel Mission Church, 218 Nathan Road, Kowloon:—

Saturday, 8.30 p.m.—Fellowship Meeting followed by the Lord's Supper.

Sunday, 11.00 a.m.—Divine Service. Preacher Rev. John Bechtel. Subject, "Sons of God"—1. Their Standing; 2. Their Hope; 3. Their Obligation. Text, "Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God—And every man that hath this hope in him purifieth himself, even as he is pure." 1 John 3: 1-3.

Sunday, 3.00 p.m.—Sunday School. Young Men's Bible Class. Young Women's Bible Class.

Sunday, 8.30 p.m.—Divine Service. Preacher, Mr. James Braga. Subject, "Fiery Serpents." Text, "For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord" Romans 6:23.

Monday, 7.45 p.m.—S.A.C.A. Blackboard Meeting.

Wednesday, 8.00 p.m.—Praise and Prayer Meeting.

Friday, 6.15 p.m.—Sunday School Teachers' Preparation.

Friday, 8.00 p.m.—Bible Study Circle for Service men and their friends conducted by Mr. J. Aslett.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Caine Road:

November 1.—22nd Sunday after Pentecost.

ALL SAINTS' DAY
Morning Services:
1st Mass at 6.
2nd Mass at 8, Solemn High Mass followed by the Procession of the Blessed Sacrament.

3rd Mass at 10.30 with sermon in English.

Evening Services:
At 2.30, Instruction for the Young People.
At 3.30, Catechetical Instruction for Adults.

At 4, Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

November 2: Solemn Commemoration of all Souls.

Solemn Requiem Mass at 7.30 a.m.

At 5 p.m., Special Requiem Service for the Souls in the Cemetery at Happy Valley.

November 4: St. Charles, Archbishop of Milan. Solemn High Mass at 7.30 a.m.

November 5: Holy Hour from 5.30 to 8.30 p.m.

November 6: First Friday of the Month.

At 7 o'clock, Mass, General Communion.
At 5.30 p.m., Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
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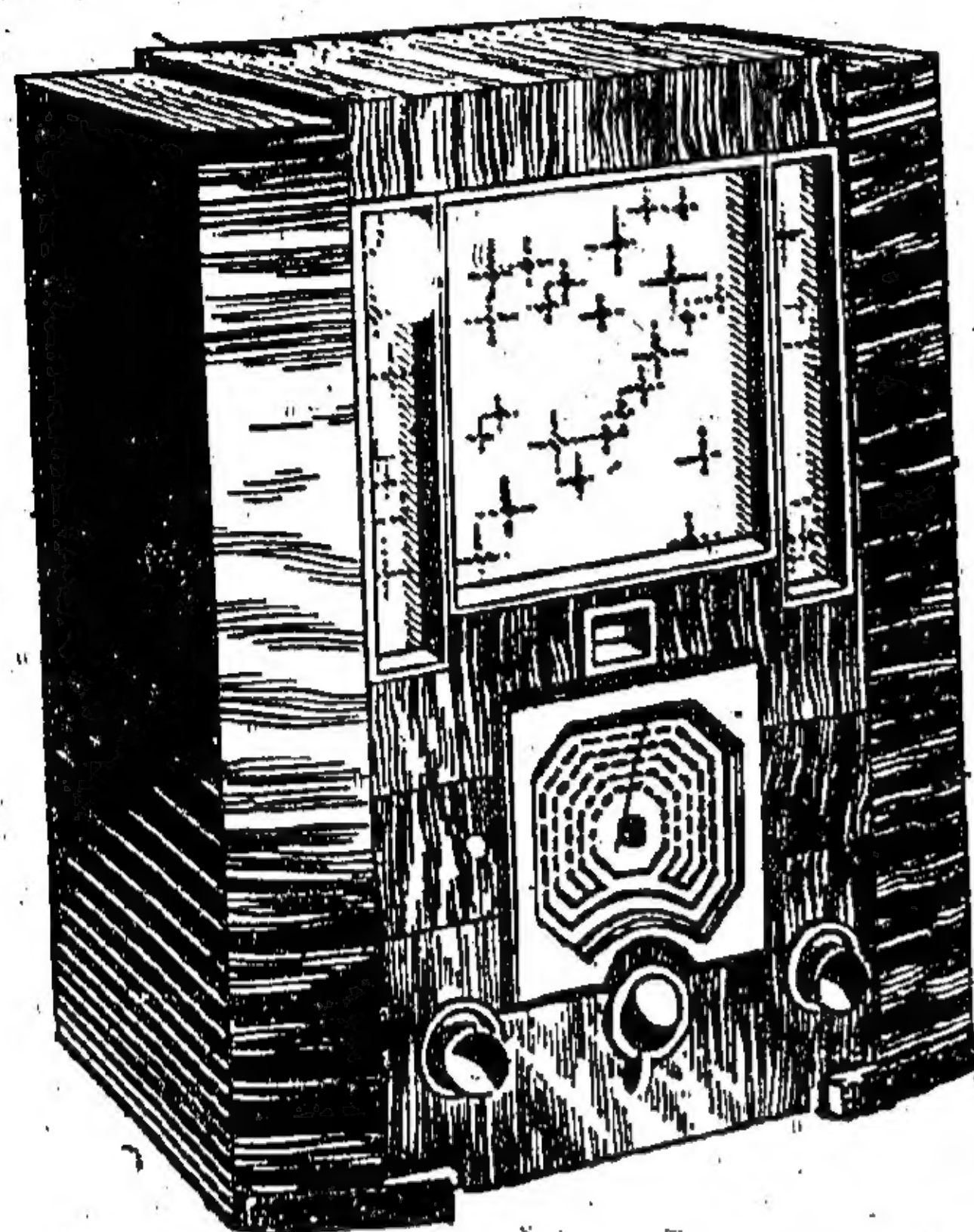
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SATURDAY

12.30-2.15 p.m.—European Record-
ed Programme.

12.30 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music.
1 p.m.—Local: Time and Weather
Report.

1.03 p.m.—Variety Items.
1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press, Rugby
Press, Local: Weather Fore-
cast, Time and Announce-
ments.

1.40 p.m.—Dance Music by Billy
Cotton and His Band.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.
4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7-12 mid.—European Programme.
7 p.m.—

De Groot and His Piccadilly
Orchestra.

Traumie (Wagner).
Autumn (Chaminade).
Selections—Samson and Delilah
(Saint-Saens), Louise (Char-
pentier).

The Song of Songs (Moya).
La Violetera (Padilla).
Old Spanish Song (Aubert).
Les Millions D'Arlequin (Drigo).

7.30 p.m.—Hong Kong Exchange
Market Report.

7.33 p.m.—
Pianoforte—Simon Barer.
Tenor—Richard Tauber.

Pianoforte—Sonetto No. 104 Del
Petrarca (Liszt).
Tenor Solos—O Woodlands Far
(Mendelssohn), Good Night,
Oh! my Love! (Van Sayfard).
Pianoforte—Etude in F minor
(Liszt).

Tenor Solos—My world is gold
because you love me (Tauber-
Grey), All hope is ended (Tau-
ber-Grey) from film "Heart's
Desire".

8 p.m.—Local: Time and Weather
Report.

8.03 p.m.—A Variety Programme.
Orchestra—Black Eyes—Maurice
Igor and His Nomad Orches-
tra.

Song—Will you love me—Jessica
Dragonette (Soprano).
Song—Let's put some people to
work—Jack Buchanan.

Pianoforte Solos—With all my
heart, Fox-Trot, Taggin'
along with you, Quick-Step—
Gerry Moore.

Duets—Looking for a little bit of
blue, What a little moonlight
can do—Layton and Johnstone.
Medley—"Holiday Hits"—London
Piano-Accordeon Band.

Piano-Accordeon Solo—Stars and
Stripes for ever—George Scott-
Wood.

Song—Slipping through my fin-
gers—Jessie Matthews.
Song—Would You—Sam Browne
(Baritone).

Piano Duet—Hit Memories Med-
ley—Jack Wilson and Jimmy
Leach.

Vocal Duet—What's good for the
goose is good for the gander.
Gee, oh gosh, I'm grateful—
Sam Browne and Girl Friend.

Orchestra—An old world garden.
Alfredo Campoli and His
Salon Orchestra.

Song—Au Revoir—Turner Lay-
ton.

Song—For me, for you—Hilde-
garde.

Orchestra—Tell me again, Rus-
sian Gipsy Sketch—Alfredo and
His Orchestra.

Vocal Duet—All because of you
—Browning and Starr.

Pianoforte Solos—Crooning—
Quickstep, Love me—Slow
Fox-Trot.

Song—Robins and Roses—Bing
Crosby.

9.25 p.m.—London—News and An-
nouncements.

9.45 p.m.—
Hawaiian Music.

10 p.m.—London—Big Ben.
A Relay of Dance Music from
the "Gipsies".

12 midnight—Close Down.

SUNDAY

9.10 to 10 a.m.—A Relay of the
Military Parade Service from
St. John's Cathedral.

10 a.m.—Close down.

11 a.m. to 12.15 p.m.—A Relay of
the Morning Service from St.
John's Cathedral.

12.15 to 2.30 p.m.—European record-
ed programme.

12.15 p.m.—
An Orchestral Concert

Valas Triste (Sibelius). (a)
Serenade, Op. 63 (Volkman).
(b) Flight of the Bumble Bee
(Rimsky-Korsakov).

Andante Mosso (from Sonata in
B minor) (Scriabin).—Vladimir
Horowitz (Pianoforte).
Overture—"Hansel and Gretel"
(Humperdinck).

I'm a Roamer (Mendelssohn).—
Robert Radford (Bass).
Bavarian Dance, Op. No. 1
(Eggar).

12.45 p.m.—
A Recital by Benjamin Gilg
(Tenor).

O del mio dolce ardor (Gluck).
"Parade ed Elena".

See here, thy flow'et—"Carmen"
(Bisect).

Down her cheek a pearly tear—
"L'Elisir d'Amore" (Donizetti).
1 p.m.—Local: Time and weather
report.

1.03 p.m.—
The Band of H.M. Grenadier
Guards.

Ruy Blas Overture (Mendelssohn).
Tancréd Overture (Rossini).
Selection—"Tom Jones" (Ger-
man).

The old Frog Pond (Alford).
Parade of the Elephants
(Chenette).

The Mill in The Black Forest
(Ellenberg).

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press, Local:
Weather forecast, time and
announcements.

1.40 p.m.—
Excerpts from Light Opera
Vocal Gems—The Three Mus-
keteers.

Overture—Les Cloches de Corne-
ville (Planquette).
Vocal Gems—Jolly Roger.

2 p.m.—
Violin Solos by Yehudi Menuhin
Concerto in G major—Adagio
(Mozart).

Sarabande and Tambourin
(Leclair-Sarasate).
Dance of the Goblins, Op. 25
(Bazzini).

2.13 p.m.—
Four Waltzes by Johann Strauss
A Thousand and one nights.
Artist's Life, Tales from the
Orient.

2.15 p.m.—Close down.
4 to 7 p.m.—Chinese programme.

7 to 10.30 p.m.—European pro-
gramme.

7 p.m.—
The Works of Johann Sebastian
Bach.

Brandenburg Concerto No. 4 in
G major—The Busch Chamber
Players. (Violin) Adolf Busch.
(1st Flute) Marcel Moyse. (2nd
Flute) Louis Moyse.

1st Movement—Allegro.
2nd Movement—Andante.
3rd Movement—Fresto.

"The Little" Fugue in G Minor
played on the organ at All
Hallows, Barking by the Tower,
by Albert Schweitzer.

Chromatic Fantasia and Fugue
played on the pianoforte by
Edwin Fischer.

Siciliano (Largo) played by Adolf
Busch (Violin) and Rudolf Ser-
kin (Piano).

Arioso. — Philadelphia Chamber
String Simphonietta.
Suite No. 2 in B minor for Flutes
and Strings, played by the
Chicago Symphony Orchestra,
conducted by Frederick Stock.

8 p.m.—Local: Time, weather report
and announcements.

8.03 p.m.—
A Recital by Miliza Korjus
(Soprano).

Nocturne, Op. 37, No. 1—Ah, let
me weep and Nocturne, Op. 9,
No. 2—O Night! O Dreams!
(Chopin).

"Lakme"—Oriental Prayer, Bell
Song (Delibes).

8.20 p.m.—
A Pianoforte Recital by Arthur
Ruhinstein.

1. Liebestraum (Liszt).
2. Valse Caprice (Ruhinstein).
3. Capriccio in B minor, Op. 76
(Brahms).

4. La Cathédrale Engloutie (De-
bussy).
5. Navarra (Albeniz).

8.40 p.m.—
Operatic Arias

"Tannhauser"—Oh, Star of Eve
(Wagner). "Faust"—Even
bravest heart (Gounod).—Law-
rence Tibbett (Baritone).
"Otello"—Heaven had it pleased
thee to try me (Verdi), Death
of Otello.—Renato Zanelli
(Tenor).

9 p.m.—Reuter Press.

9.10 p.m.—
The Band of the 1st Bn. The
Royal Ulster Rifles, Conducted
by Bandmaster H. Alfred Hole,
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PROGRAMME

1. March—Der Adler von Lille—
Blankenbergh.

2. Overture—The Caliph of Bag-
dad.—Bodellien.

3. Selection—Scottish Airs—arr.
Godfrey.

4. Interval—Three for Jack, Four
Jolly Sailors (Recorded).
Quartette: Francis Russell,
Parry Jones, Raymond Newell
and Harry Dearth.

5. Excerpts from "H.M.S. Pin-
gore"—Gullivan.

6. Irish Pictures—Ansell.

10 p.m.—London—Big Ben.
A Light Concert.

Songs—Love, I give you my all
(Becky), Walks Song (Herbert,
Strauss).—Derek Oldham
(Tenor).

Saxophone Solo—Le Cygne
(Saint-Saens)—Marcel Mide.

Songs—Look and love (Lehar-
Rameau). Love's Melody
(Lehar—Rameau).—Marta, Ex-
gerth (Soprano).
Flute Solo—Madrigal (Gaubert).
—Marcel Moyse.

Songs—Life and Death (Cole-
ridge-Taylor). A Sea Call
(Ramon)—Peter Dawson (Bass-
Baritone).
Cello Solo—Menuet (Debussy).—
Pablo Casals.

10.30 p.m.—Close down.

BERLIN PROGRAMME

SATURDAY

1.05 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB (German,
English).
German Folk Song.

1.10 p.m.—Week-end Concert.
2 p.m.—News in German.

2.15 p.m.—Week-end Concert (con-
tinued).
2.55 p.m.—Greetings to our listeners.

3 p.m.—News and Economic Review
in English.

3.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany.
Sound Pictures.

3.30 p.m.—Stories from everyday
life. Broadcasting arrange-
ments by Dr. Walter Tappe
with incidental music: 1. Flow-
ers in love; 2. Children's laugh-
ter; 3. The first prize; 4. tele-
phone "connection."

4.15 p.m.—Military Concert.

4.30 p.m.—News and Economic Re-
view in German.

5.45 p.m.—Women's Hour: From
great-grandmother's little room.
Musical Play by Friedrich Wil-
helm Brandt.

6.15 p.m.—Sign off DJA and DJB
(German, English).

6.55 p.m.—Call DJE and DJB (Ger-
man, English).
German Folk Song.

7 p.m.—Concert of Light Music:
8 p.m.—News in English.

8.15 p.m.—Greetings to our listen-
ers in the "Near East" and Call
DJQ.

8.20 p.m.—Concert of Light Music
(continued).

9 p.m.—News and Economic Re-
view in German.

9.15 p.m.—The German Sugar In-
dustry.

9.30 p.m.—Sonata G major Op. 30
by Beethoven. Lothar Ritter-
hoff, violin; Ilse Rodzinsky, at
the piano.

10 p.m.—News and Economic Review
view in English on DJE, DJQ
in Netherlands on DJB.

10.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany.
Sound Pictures.

10.30 p.m.—What would you do
without a motor-car? An en-
tertaining radio play by Ir-
traut Huglin.

11.30 p.m.—Trio B flat major Op.
99 by Fr. Schubert. Fanny
Brandt, violin; Beatrice Rei-
cher, cello; Magda Ruy, piano.

12 midnight—Close DJE, DJQ, DJB
(German, English).

TROTSKY TROUBLE

Norwegian Government
Puts Final Stop

Oslo, Oct. 29.

The Norwegian Government has
finally taken steps to put a stop
to the recurrent Trotsky trouble,
which has been going on since the
Zinoviev case and trial in Russia.
Through an order in Council, the
Government has decreed that
Trotsky is not to be allowed to
bring a libel case against a Nor-
wegian Communist paper for pub-
lishing reports from Moscow, de-
claring him guilty.

This finally ends Trotsky's re-
peated attempts to obtain a ver-
dict at the Norwegian Court, that
he was not guilty of the charges
brought against him during the
Zinoviev trial.

Transocean News Service.

FOREIGN
SECRETARY'S
PRAISE

London, Oct. 29.

In the course of his speech on
Spain in the House of Commons,
Mr. Anthony Eden paid tribute to
the work of the Counsellor of the
British Embassy in Madrid, Mr.
Ogilvie Forbes who by his tact and
courage had won the confidence of
the Spanish authorities.

He also spoke appreciatively of
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Slander Alleged Teachers Bring Action CHIEF JUSTICE AND EPSTEIN

The suit for alleged slander brought by Chung Siu Tong and Chung Ling Yung, teachers of the Yau Kung School, Ha Chuen village, New Territories, against Tang Hong Nin, Tang Chuen Yau, and Tang Yip Siu concluded yesterday before the Chief Justice, Sir Athol MacGregor, when judgment was delivered in favour of the defendants.

Mr. D. S. Curtis appeared for the plaintiffs, and the defendants were represented by Mr. G. S. Hughes-Jones.

The first witness for the plaintiffs yesterday was Cheung Yee Wing, a pupil at the school.

Mr. Curtis: Who was with you in the classroom at the time?—Kam Mei Tuk and Cheung Ling Yung.

During that time, did someone come into the classroom?—Yes, Tang Yip Siu did.

What did he do?—He came in and walked to the wall where our essays were pinned on the blackboard. He wrote something on the essays.

Anything else?—Yes, he also tore some of them off the wall. Did he say anything?—He said that those essays were wanting in intelligence and that the teachers did not know their jobs. Also, that they recklessly gave good marks and had defrauded the people's money.

On hearing those words I thought that the teachers had sufficient knowledge to teach school but that they did not deserve their salary.

AN CASUAL MALL MEETING
Later on during the day, was there a meeting in the ancestral hall?—Yes, I was there.

Was Tang Chuen Yau there?—Yes, he said that those teachers did not know their jobs, and asked to be allowed to engage two others.

Did Tang Hong Nin say anything?—He said the same thing.

Did you attend the meeting at the Jee Yee Kiu?—Yes, it was the intention to settle the dispute amicably. Tang Hong Nin was there and he promised to pay compensation, to put an advertisement in the press and to apologise.

DID BREAK IN
Mr. Hughes-Jones (in cross-examination) asked: I put it to you that Tang Yip Siu did not break into the classroom—He certainly did.

Nor that the other things that you have given in evidence are correct.—Yes, they are.

At the meeting of the elders, was there any slander mentioned?—Why not, both teachers were slandered, and they should not have said that they did not know anything.

On the appearance of another student of the school as a witness, Mr. Hughes-Jones waived the evidence as merely a repetition of the former's.

COUNSEL'S SUBMISSION
In his submission, Mr. Hughes-Jones said that he had no case to answer. The only allegation in evidence was that Tang Hong Nin had been wanting in intelligence, which was only a matter of opinion.

The other allegations that he did not know anything and that he should not teach depended on the actual strength of the accusation. All the others were on the same plane, which meant that they might be critical, but everyone was open to criticism. That did not mean, however, that it was a slander action.

EPSTEIN'S WORKS
The Chief Justice interposed here to mention of the works of Epstein, the sculptor and painter, who was not advised to bring suit for slander when he was severely criticised as there was no malice intended.

Continuing, Mr. Hughes-Jones said that in every single instance there was nothing defamatory in the words used to criticised, and that no innuendo was established. Mr. Curtis said that he thought that when a teacher was told that he did not know anything it meant slander against him as teaching was his profession, but His Lordship said that he was greatly influenced by the fact that no mention was made of admitted slander.

Mr. Curtis added that defrauding people of money could be slander.

In giving judgment, the Chief Justice said: "I don't think this is a proper case to call upon the

LOCAL ESTATES

Local estate to the value of \$39,700 was left by the late Mr. Oswin Anthony Swinburn de Souza, bank clerk, formerly of No. 14, Niven Road, Singapore, who died on June 5 last. An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawful attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate, has been allowed.

The late Mr. C. S. Lam, alias Matthew Jan Woo, restaurant proprietor, formerly of 134, Summers Street, Charleston, Kanawha County, West Virginia, U.S.A., left local estate amounting to \$15,400. The deceased passed away at the City of Wheeling, West Virginia, on or about June 23, 1933. Letters of administration with the will annexed have been granted to Mr. D. H. Blake, solicitor, the lawful attorney.

The late Mr. Francis Garmston Hyde, solicitor formerly of No. 19, Foregate Street, Worcester, left local estate worth \$2,200. Mr. Hyde died at South Bank Nursing Home, Bath Road, Worcester, on March 10 last. An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawful attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate, has been allowed.

REVOLVER POSSESSION

Wong Cheung alias Wong Kwok Chi, 32, unemployed and Tse Suk, 34 a carpenter were charged before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy for possession of a revolver and five rounds, without a license at Lai Chi Kok Road on October 17.

The second defendant claimed that the first accused told him he picked it up at the back of the Mong Kok Market and that he intend to sell it.

Det. Sgt. Riddell (prosecuting) stated that information was given to a detective and the first defendant was arrested at Lai Chi Kok Road. The revolver and four rounds were found wrapped in his pocket.

The second defendant was arrested later. It was alleged the first defendant was to meet a friend at Pei Ho street with the intention of committing a robbery.

His Worship in passing sentence remarked that there were too many armed robberies being perpetrated. First accused was sentenced to one year's imprisonment, while second defendant was discharged.

SUICIDE ATTEMPTS

Two suicide attempts were notified to the police. The first concerned a woman, Li Kiu, who attempted to commit suicide by jumping into the harbour at Connaught Road Central near the Douglas Wharf on Thursday. She was rescued by two Indian policemen, and was sent to the Government Civil Hospital. A man, Lam Kwai, was taken to the Kowloon Hospital, suffering from immersion, after he had jumped into the harbour from the Yau Ma Tei ferry launch Man Hing. A sailor from the ferry, Wong Kwai, dived into the water and effected a rescue.

NAVAL OFFICER IN TROUBLE

Lt. Bruce of the H.M.S. Medway was fined \$20 by Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday, for driving car 4056 without licence along Hollywood Road. Accused did not appear in answer to the summons.

Sergt. Kelly prosecuted and said that the defendant applied for a licence which was refused by Sergt. Britton. He was told not to drive away his car from the compound, but took no notice. Sergt. Kelly gave chase and stopped the defendant, who was proceeding along Hollywood Road.

THEFT OF PURSE

Li Yu Yuen, 21, street coolie, appeared before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, charged with the theft of a purse, containing money, from a girl at the Kowloon Godown wharf. Defendant handed the purse to another man who was not arrested. Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed.

defence. In this case I give judgment for the defendants. The only issue I have is one of costs. Costs were awarded to the defendants.

BROADCAST APPEAL

(Continued from Page 3)

"Education for Poor Children." During the past ten years the total disbursement was \$142,617. The main sources of income are the annual Sale of Roses, and the annual Al Fresco Fete, this year to be held on Sunday November 1, in Chatham Road, near Austin Road. For these two we make special appeal to the public of Hong Kong. We would stress the fact that two things alone appeal to the ministration of the Vincent de Paul Society: viz. Poverty and Distress. Race, creed, nationality are not considered.

May I stress this point? Too often narrow little matcheds in a Jealously guarded preserve are open to those alone who bear the hall-mark of one sect, or nation, or race. Ozanam has left to his Society a tradition not to be gainsayed. Here is the fact from his life:

NO DISTINCTION OF CREED
"Once, a Protestant minister, in administration at his goodness entrusted him with a sum of money for charitable purposes. At a conference meeting a member interested in a number of poor Catholic families suggested applying the bulk to them, and the residue to Protestants in need. Ozanam flared up: 'Gentlemen,' he said, 'if it be not clearly understood that we help the poor without distinction of creed, I shall immediately return the money to the Protestant donors and say to them: Take it back; we are not worthy of your confidence.'"

Not my friends, Ozanam workers are brothers to the poor of humanity; they are sympathizers with any brother broken by distress. Are not we glad to join with them in their noble work, and ready to show our gratitude to Providence which has blessed us with the means of being able to give, not knowing by personal experience the sorrow of those whose only hope is the doubtful one of expectancy to receive.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society is one of Hong Kong's oldest—perhaps the oldest—labours of love. It is universal in charitable aim for the poor; it is universal, therefore, in its appeal. Let us make it worthy of Hong Kong; perhaps I should say let us make Hong Kong worthy of it.

Remember the date: to-morrow, the Fete begins at 3.30 p.m. and lasts all the afternoon and evening. You will make others happy by what you give; you will make yourselves happy by going there.

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EFFICIENCY DECORATION AND MEDALS

The regulations governing the awards of the Efficiency Decoration (Officer) and the Efficiency Medal (W.O.s, N.C.O.s and Men) may be seen on application to the Adjutant. Further applications for the above mentioned awards should reach the Adjutant as early as possible and all applicants, including those whose applications have already been forwarded to Corps Headquarters are requested to interview the Adjutant in order that their Record of Service may be checked prior to submission to Higher Authority.

CHRISTMAS CARD

Christmas cards are now on sale at Officers' Mess, Sergeants' Mess and Canteen.

Price 40 cent each.

N.C.O.s EXAMINATIONS

No. 2181, Pte. J. J. Xavier, No. 10 Platoon, Corps Infantry, has passed the Corporal's examination.

PARADE

1st Battery
"A" Section: Section will parade at H.Q. on Thursday, November 5 at 5.30 p.m. for lecture on Gas under Bdr. H. W. Leyden.
Recruits will parade under R.S.M. for rifle and squad drill.

"L" Section: Parade at Belchers on Friday, November 6 at 5.45 p.m. Dress: Overalls, Platform Shoes and Blue Caps if issued.

"M" Section: Parade in H.M.S. Cornflower on Wednesday, November 4. Launch leaves H.M.S. Tamar at 5.30 p.m.

Corps Engineers

Sunday, November 1:
Parade for R.E. Sunday at H.Q. 8.45 a.m. Details of dress have been circulated individually and note should be made that hose-tops are to be worn with puttees.

Monday, November 2:
Miniature Range and Recruits.
Thursday, November 5:
DL Instruction at R.E. shed, Queen's Road Central for beginners.

Sunday, November 8:
Company shoot on Peak Range. Rifles must be drawn by midday Saturday and firing will start on the 100 yards range at 9.30 sharp.

Corps Signals

No. 1 Signal Class will parade at the Command Signal Office under Sgt. Lake at 5.25 p.m. on Tuesday, November 3.

Remainder parade at Corps H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 3, for Signal Instruction.

M.G. Troop

Parade on Tuesday, November 3 at 5.30 p.m. at Corps H.Q. for M.G. Instruction.
All ranks are reminded to keep November 8 free for shooting their course at Stonecutters and November 14 free for week-end camp at Fanling.

Armoured Car Section

Section will parade at H.Q. on Tuesday, November 3 at 5.30 p.m. for Driving and Mechanical Instruction.

Overalls will be worn.

Motor M.G. Section
Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, November 2, 1936.

1st Year Men "C" Class: M.G. Instruction—Mechanics (2 sub-heads).
Remainder "B" Class: M.G. Instruction—LA with cause and effect of stoppages.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company
Parade on Friday, November 6 at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. for Gas Drill and Musketry.

No. 2 (Scottish) Company
Parade on Thursday, November 5 at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m.
"B" Class: E.G.D.
"C" Class: Preparation for Firing Part I. A.M.G.C.

No. 3 (M.G.) Company
Parade at H.Q. on Monday, November 2 at 5.30 p.m. as follows:—
Squads Nos. 1 and 2: Information and messages; 3 and 4: I.A.; 5 and 10: Points B.D.A.; 11 and 12: Infantry Drill.

Parade at H.Q. on Friday, November 6, at 5.30 p.m.
Musketry: Rifle course Table B will be fired at Stonecutters on Sunday, November 1 by Squad 1 to 10. Launch leaves Queen's Pier at 8 a.m. calling at Police Pier, Kowloon at 8.10 a.m. All ranks please note alteration in times. Dress optional webbing must be worn when firing. Range Officer, 2/Lt. R. M. Wood.

M.G. Bn. Signals

Monday, November 2:
Subsection "D" D/Rra parade for arms drill under R.S.M. Parkinson.
Wednesday, November 4:
Subsection "A": Office organization and work under Cpl. Sugg, R.C. Signals.

Subsection "B": Operation and Maintenance switchboard equipment under Cpl. Sancester, R.C. Signals.

Subsection "D": W/T. Schedule with H.K. Signal Section. Call sign and frequencies as previously given.

Friday, November 6:
Subsection "D": Clean, grease and check motor cycles. Sig. Dickens, R.C. Signals.

Corps Infantry

Sunday, November 1:
"B" Company and Category A of "A" Company will fire Table D practices 5, and 7 at Lyemum. Parade at 8.15 a.m. at Corps H.Q. Transport leaves at 8.30 a.m. Dress: Tunic, Slacks, Belt and Helmet.

Parade on Tuesday, November 3 at 5.30 p.m. at H.Q.
"A" Company: Lecture Room for Film "The Fighting Patrol". All members are urged to attend.

"B" Company: Continue A.A.L.A. training under Sgt. Hill, R.U.R. Air Arm.

Parade on Tuesday, November 3 at Kal Tak at 5.30 p.m. for a Lecture.
Army Service Corps Cadre
There will be a meeting on Thursday, November 5 in the Lecture Room at Corps H.Q. at 5.30 p.m.

PROMOTION

No. 2181, Pte. J. J. Xavier, No. 10 Platoon, Corps Infantry, is promoted Lance-Corporal with effect from 30.10.36.

ATTACHMENT

Sgt. R. Noether, Shanghai Volunteer Corps is attached to M.M.G. Section with effect from 28.10.36.

TRANSFER

No. 2184, Pte. G. A. Gutierrez, No. 12 Platoon, is transferred to "B" Company, Corps Infantry, as from 30.10.36.

LEAVE

2/Lt. A. N. Braude, M.G. Bn. Signals, is granted leave from 31.10.36 to 18.11.36.

STRUCK OFF STRENGTH

On Medical Grounds
No. 2482, Pte. R. M. da Silva, B Coy., Corps Infantry, as from 19.10.36.

No. 2445, Pte. T. J. Cruz, B Coy., Corps Infantry, as from 19.10.36.
No. 2451, Pte. M.G.P. Souza, B Company, Corps Infantry, as from 21.10.36.

No. 2471, Pte. C. A. Souza, B Coy., Corps Infantry, as from 22.10.36.

STRENGTH

Gunner D. G. G. Allen, 63-65, Des Voeux Road, Bty. A Section, 16.10.36.

Sapper R. L. Neubronner, c/o S. of Wks., B Block, Victoria Bks., Military Qtrs. 28, Corps Engineers, 26.10.36.

Signaller H. F. Venables, 9, Tak-shing Tern, ground floor, M.G. Bn. Signals, 28.10.36.

Gunner F. A. Olsen, Equine Sports Club, Shatin, Bty. A Sec., 29.10.36.

Gunner A. S. Olsen, Equine Sports Club, Shatin, Bty. A Sec., 29.10.36.
(Sgd.) G. S. FRIZELLE, Captain, Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C.

NOTICE

Sergeants' Mess Committee
Wednesday, November 11 being a General Holiday the Quarterly Meeting of the Sergeants' Mess Committee will be held on Wednesday, November 18 at 6 p.m.

AFFILIATED UNIT

Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.
Lecture: The 5th lecture will be given by Capt. L. T. Ride, M.A., M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., on Monday, November 2 at the P.W.D. Offices at 5.30 p.m.

Leave: Mrs. E. M. Bege, is granted six months' leave from 1.1.36 to 30.4.37.

(Sgd.) E. A. FIDOE,

Joint Lady Superintendent, for Commandant, Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D. Corps.

DONATIONS

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul acknowledges with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of the following donations and gifts to the Fete on November 1:
Sir Robert Ho Tung \$150
F. G. 30
Maryknoll Convent, School, Kowloon 18
Lady Ho Tung 25
K. A. 15
Messrs. Grace & Co. 15
Messrs. Grace & Co., 3 Parcels of Toys, etc.

OBITUARY

MR. DAWOOD RUMJAHN

The funeral of the late Mr. Dawood Rumjahn, the popular and well-known Lawn Bowls player, who passed away at his residence, No. 139 Woonchun Road on Thursday, was held at the Mohammedan Cemetery, Happy Valley, yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends of the deceased.

The chief mourners at the funeral were Mr. H. D. Rumjahn, Mr. U. Rumjahn and Messrs: S. A. Rumjahn, A. H. Rumjahn, A. A. Rumjahn, A. M. Rumjahn and A. Manub Rumjahn.

Among those present were Chief Inspector R. Marks, Mr. R. Bass, Mr. C. S. Rosset, Mr. W. K. Way, Mr. A. el Arculli, Mr. A. E. Coates, Mr. H. A. Lammert, Dr. V. N. Atienza, Mr. R. Choa, Mr. A. V. Gosano, Mr. Ng Sze Kwong, Dr. S. S. Sopher, Mr. A. Kitchell, Mr. R. M. Omar, Mr. U. M. Omar, Mr. F. M. el Arculli, Mr. A. K. Minu, Mr. R. P. Phillips, Mr. C. E. Marques, Mr. J. S. A. Curreen, Mr. S. R. Ismail, Mr. C. Osmund, Mr. A. M. Wahab, Mr. S. A. Sopher, Mr. M. A. Razack, Mr. M. Nemashe, Mr. M. A. Razack, Dr. I. Kew, Mr. Choa Po Lu, Mr. P. Leung Hing Kee, Mr. W. Allen, Mr. S. A. Hamet, Mr. S. D. Ismail, Mr. C. C. G. Marker, Mr. J. Anderson, Mr. M. A. Khan, Mr. A. Baker, Mr. J. Haroon, Mr. A. R. Dallah, Mr. H. Hussain, Mr. M. P. Madar, Mr. A. K. Ismail, Mr. M. el Arculli, Mr. A. C. Botelho, Mr. J. J. Whyte, Mr. E. Sadick, Mr. M. O. Hosen, Mr. M. Abdulla, Mr. A. R. M. Samy, Mr. K. H. Omar, Mr. A. M. Omar, Mr. J. S. Adker, Mr. A. V. Silva Netto, Mr. J. M. Wong, Mr. L. A. Gutierrez, Mr. R. Nazarin.

Among those sending wreaths were:—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fincher, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Wong, Mrs. Yeung Fung Shu, Members of the Craigen-gower Cricket Club, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Way, Mr. A. J. Watson, Mr. J. W. Leonard, Mr. Chris Perpedis, Mr. A. Sommerfeld, Mr. D. L. Prophet, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. R. Sousa, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Bradbury, Mr. Chau Yung, Mr. A. da Silva, Mr. A. J. and L. A. Osmund, Messrs. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gittins, Mr. A. J. Walters, Mr. R. P. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Wong Sh Chung, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shea, Mr. Lam Shiu Wan, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Grummitt, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chan, Messrs. Ethel and Melley Mooney, Messrs. Holland China Trading Co., Comprode, Staff—Holland China Trading Co., Local Staff—Holland Trading Co., Mr. C. C. Chin, Staff—Gandhi Price & Co., Indian Recreation Club, Mr. W. C. Hsin, Mr. Peter Dragon, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Abraham, Mr. Mup Fuk, Miss Betty Ng, Mr. Hung Won Shan, Mr. Chun in Yeung, Mr. Dan Duk Ling, Mr. Chung Shun Chin, Mr. Li Shuk Chin, Mr. and Mrs. E. Carter, Dr. Li Shu Fan, Mr. Li Tze Ching, Mr. Yeung Chig Ching, the Victoria Nursing Division, Mr. J. Pestonji, Mr. Watson and Miss Lopes, the Lawn Bowlers—Club de Recreio, Mr. C. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wong, Godown Staff—Messrs. Gandi Price & Co.

COLONY'S HEALTH

Three cases of typhoid, two from Victoria and one from Kowloon were notified to the Health Authorities for the 24 hours, ended Oct. 29. Two cases of diphtheria from Kowloon were also reported.

HEALTH BULLETIN

The health bulletin of eastern ports for the week ending October 24 is as follows:

Plague—Colombo 1 case, Cilelora, Calcutta 9 cases, Madras 9 cases, Rangoon 1 case, Chittagong 1 case. Small-pox—Calcutta 1 case, Madras 1 case, Rangoon 5 cases, Chittagong 1 case, Poon-Penh 1 case, Shanghai 1 case.

HOTEL GUESTS

New residents at local hotels yesterday were as follows:—
At the Gloucester: Mr. Paul L. H. Ruffus, from Shanghai; Mr. Volker Neumann, from Shanghai; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Simon, from Macao.

At the Hong Kong: Mr. F. Mateo, from Manila; Mr. C. V. Middleton, from Bombay; Dr. Saa, from Singapore; Mr. Paul Tebang, from Paris; Mrs. C. W. de Arctia, from Singapore.

At the Peninsula: Mr. Pierre Sicaud, from Paris; Mr. Edouard Vidal, from Paris; Mrs. E. D. Balmaceda, from Manila; Dr. Jose Fabella, and Mr. Vicente Fabella, from Manila; Mr. C. Levy Blit, and Mr. E. Levy Blit, from Manila; Frau N. Sholler, from Manila; Mr. P. J. Campon, from Manila; Mr. J. E. B. Oliver, from United States.

AMERICAN C-IN-C. HERE

First Visit To Colony With U.S. Asiatic Fleet

ADM. H.E. YARNELL

The Fifth Submarine Squadron of the United States Asiatic Fleet which arrived in port yesterday consisted of the flagship and tender, U.S.S. Canopus, U.S.S. Pigeon, salvage vessel, and six submarines, S-38, S-37, S-38, S-39, S-40, and S-41.

They will remain in the harbour until November 4.

The following list is of U.S. warships that will arrive on November 5, and remain until November 11.

U.S.S. Blackhawk, (destroyer tender), and U.S.S. Pecos, (auxiliary).

The rest of the Asiatic fleet will remain here until November 12 as follows:

U.S.S. Augusta (Flagship of C-in-C).
U.S.S. Isabel.
U.S.S. Paul Jones (Destroyer Squadron Leader).

Destroyer Division Fourteen consisting of:—
U.S.S. Stewart (Division Flagship).

U.S.S. Parrott.
U.S.S. Edsall.
U.S.S. Bulmer.

Destroyer Division Fifteen consisting of:—
U.S.S. Peary (Division Flagship).
U.S.S. Pope.
U.S.S. Pellisford.

U.S.S. John D. Ford.

ADMIRAL'S CAREER

Of chief significance is the fact that the new Commander-in-Chief, Admiral H. E. Yarnell, will be here on his first visit.

Admiral Harry Ervin Yarnell was born at Independence, Ohio, on October 18, 1875, and graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1897, and from the Naval War College in 1915.

He was promoted to Rear-Admiral on August 17, 1928.

During the Spanish-American War he served on the U.S.S. Oregon, and also served in the Philippine Insurrection and the Boxer Rebellion on the U.S.S. Yorktown.

After serving under Admiral Sims in the World War, he was promoted to Commander of the Aircraft Squadrons, Battle Fleet, from 1931 to 1933.

His previous command was at Pearl Harbour Naval Station, which he took over in 1933.

Making his home in Washington, D. C., he leaves his wife and two children, Mrs. John Sylvester, and Philip there.

It is not certain whether Mrs. Yarnell will join the Admiral in China.

RECEPTIONS PLANNED

Many receptions are planned during Admiral Yarnell's visit here. The C-in-C will not arrive until November 5. The American Consul General, Mr. Charles L. Hoover, will give the first one to-day between 6.30 and 8.30 p.m. at his residence, "On Lee," at Pokfulam, in honour of the 5th Submarine Squadron.

Another reception, in the Admiral's honour will be in the form of a soiree buffet also to be held at "On Lee," and the last will be on November 7 when Mr. Hoover will give a formal dinner to Admiral Yarnell.

The usual receptions accorded to foreign sailors arriving in port will be given the American sailors during their stay here, but no plans have as yet been made.

However, shore patrol and liberty parties have been arranged.

WEDDING ANNOUNCED

The forthcoming marriage will shortly be solemnized in Hankow: John Entwistle Ramsay, Marine Officer of the Chinese Maritime Customs attached to the preventive ship, Chuen-tiao, to Miss Elizabeth Frances Crichton, nurse, of the Country Hospital, Shanghai.

DANCE CANCELLED

The Dinner Dance at the Regulus Bay Hotel, planned for to-night, will not take place.

But the usual tea dance will be held to-morrow, at 5 p.m. Half hourly bus service in the afternoon.

Sweeney, from United States; Mr. E. B. Oliver, from United States.

BISHOP OF NANKING

To Visit Colony Next Month

The news has recently reached Hong Kong that the new Bishop of Nanking will visit the Colony in January. This is Mr. Yu Pin, one of the most interesting figures in the Catholic Church in China.

Though he is only thirty-five years of age, Mr. Yu Pin has already had a very remarkable career. He has been professor in Rome, member of a Papal delegation to Abyssinia, and General Director of Catholic Action for the whole of China. He holds several University degrees. As well as being a graduate of the Aurora University, Shanghai, he received the Doctorate in Theology from the Academy of St. Thomas in Rome, and a Doctorate in Political Science from the University of Perugia.

He enjoys considerable repute as a Chinese scholar and was the recipient of many honours from official bodies when he was consecrated Bishop a few months ago.

POPPY DAY FUND

Statutory allowances, to which unemployed persons are entitled, are much improved to-day, but during long or frequent periods of unemployment many ex-Servicemen have no opportunity of providing reasonable necessities for either themselves or their families, and it is when such needs are urgent that they lose confidence and become despondent. To meet such cases as these, occasional assistance is given for food, clothing, or bedding, and the amount issued under this scheme during last year amounted to £140,994.

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Further contributions will be gratefully received by Mr. F. G. Maunders, Secretary to Earl Haig's Fund, York Building, Hong Kong. Cheques should be made payable to Thomson & Co. and crossed "Poppy Day Fund."

AMERICAN DISCUS TEAM

Visited Northern Countries In Europe

Among the passengers passing through Hong Kong on the Dollar liner President Coolidge, which arrived here yesterday morning, are Mr. William K. Carpenter and Mr. Gordon Dunn, members of the American 1936 Olympic Discus team. Both Mr. Carpenter and Mr. Dunn are returning to the United States from Europe where they spent an extensive tour of the northern countries in Scandinavia.

These two visitors were unanimous in their praise of the reception accorded them by the German people and stated that the hospitality of Norway and Sweden were no less appreciated. Asked their opinion of Hong Kong, Mr. Dunn replied that he had been in Hong Kong previously and admired the place so greatly that both he and Mr. Carpenter had planned to look Hong Kong over again before their vessel leaves this morning.

Other passengers on the Coolidge included:—Dr. Jose Fabella, Commissioner of Health in the Philippine Islands, who will stay in the Colony for a short visit. He was accompanied by Mr. Y. Fabella, Personalities who passed through Hong Kong for the North and the United States included: Mr. M. E. Brink, of the Philippine Refining Corporation of Cebu, who is taking a vacation in the States, accompanied by his wife and family; Captain W. I. Eiler, marine surveyor on his way to Shanghai; Mrs. S. Klotz and daughter, returning to Shanghai, where Mrs. Klotz will rejoin her husband, who is connected with Messrs. Swan, Cubertson and Fritz; Mr. M. P. Bellemans agent of the Dollar S.S. Lines, on his way to America with his family; and Mr. Lester A. Twigg, head of the Manila office of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

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- 28023 (Night) Dodwell & Co., Ltd., Coal Dept. (Kailan Mining Adm.), H.K. Bank Bldg.
- 28024 (Night) Dodwell & Co., Ltd., Shipping Dept., Barber-Williamson, Dodwell-Castle, H. K. Bank Bldg.
- 28025 (Night) Dodwell & Co., Ltd., O.E. Dept. and Frigidaire, H.K. Bank Bldg.
- 32303 Dodwell & Co., Ltd., Morris Cars (Agents), Queen's Bldg.
- 58772 Dodwell & Co., Ltd., Morris Cars, Service Station, 6, Ashley Road.
- 23714 Dodwell & Co., Ltd., Morris Cars, Service Station, 5, Russell Street.
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- 57162 Dodwell & Co., Ltd., Godown, Talkotsui.
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NOTICE

Tenders are invited by the two Administrations of the Canton-Kowloon Railway for the privilege of selling liquor and refreshments on the Through Trains running between Kowloon and Canton and vice versa.

Tenders will be closed at 5.00 p.m. on Monday, 9th November, 1936, and may be deposited in the tender boxes at either Kowloon or Tai Sha Tou stations.

Tenders will be opened and read at 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 10th November, 1936, at the Kowloon Head Office.

Forms of tender and regulations may be obtained from the Head Offices at Canton or Kowloon.

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28th October, 1936.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND OF 15s. (Fifteen Shillings) per Share on account of the year 1936 has been declared payable on FRIDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1936, on and after which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Society's Registered Office, Union Building, Hong Kong.

NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 9th NOVEMBER, to THURSDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, 1936. Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
A. W. HUGHES,
General Manager.
Hong Kong, 7th Oct., 1936.

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NOTICE

Mr. A. Murdoch and Mr. P. Tod have been authorised to sign per procurator.

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MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

The November Race Meeting will be held on Sunday, 1st November, 1936 at Arca Preta, Macao, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The first saddling Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

By order,

S. W. CHENG,
Secretary.

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CHINA LIGHT AND POWER CO., LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the supply of electricity to the whole of the New Territories, except the Shatin area, will be interrupted on Sunday, 1-11-36, at 2 p.m. and will be restored again before dark.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The engagement is announced between Valerie, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Wyatt of Lockshead, Southampton, and Rev. C. B. R. Sargent, headmaster of the Diocesan Boys' School.

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BAD TASTE

Whether in the case of an individual or an organisation, there is an accepted code of conduct in which the line of demarcation between the spheres of good and bad taste is very clearly delineated. The line is there; it is known and it is observable by all. It is no fiction. Not to know it or not to recognise it cannot be accepted as a sound plea in mitigation of the perpetration of an act which, according to the universally accepted code of decent conduct, is definitely in bad taste. We are reminded of the famous dictum by that great British jurist, Blackburn, "Ignorance of the law is no excuse."

There is no defined law as to taste. By that we mean, it is not to be found in Statutes or regulations. But yet it is, as clearly defined as any act, and it is, in the ultimate, simply a matter of breeding and education. We are well aware that the proverbial sow's ear can never be made into a silk purse, just as we realise that national or individual conduct cannot be dragged into by enactment. It is reasonable to state that the power of the Press was never greater than it is to-day, and when we refer to power it is appropriate that we cite that great saying, "It is glorious to have a giant's strength; it is tyrannous to misuse it." The power of the Press is virtually a giant's strength; but that strength is only real when it is used virtuously according to the well-accepted standards of conduct.

We are aware that instances are not wanting where the Press has misused its well-earned power, but we know of no instance in the long and tempestuous history of the Press where there has been such a nauseating manifestation of bad taste as one which smutted the journalistic escutcheon yesterday in this very Colony.

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NATIONAL HEALTH

Nutrition In Colonial Empire

London, Oct. 30. The Prime Minister has appointed a Committee of Economic Advisory Council under the chairmanship of Earl de la Warr to study questions of nutrition in the Colonial empire.

British Wireless

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The principal factor in giving currency to vituperate and irresponsible rumour is the willingness of some people to believe without proof what their prejudices, or even hatreds, would make them like to believe. We are proud and grateful that the British Press, and the Press of the world with one nauseating exception, has not erred in this connection. We are disgusted that a section of the Hong Kong Press has so blatantly lent itself to the furthering of international scandal-mongering.

To us, the publication of that report represents the unblemished depth of journalistic infamy.

We still vividly recollect that on another occasion, when those whom we desired to honour and befriend came officially to our Colony, this same section of the Hong Kong Press dragged journalism to the gutter-level of seductive sensationalism by publishing an article which could be calculated to cause naught but embarrassment to hosts and guests alike. It represented a most unworthy piece of journalistic impertinence; but it pales into insignificance with this latest example of bad taste wherein that lone figure, revered and beloved by millions within and without his Empire, is made to appear as a cheap "alley-crawler" and libertine.

We disassociate ourselves entirely from such journalism.

HONG KONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION

Steady Growth In Membership

NEW CHALLENGE CUPS TO BE PRESENTED

A Meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong Rifle Association was held last evening at the Hong Kong Hotel at which the following were present:

Major R. D. Walker, M.C., President (in the chair), Commander A. N. Grey, R.N. (Fleet Gunnery Officer), Capt. Carless, R.M., Dr. Y. S. Wan, Messrs. R. H. Woodman, G. Ratcliffe, J. D. Pattullo, A. C. Ford, W. Austin, T. G. Stokes (Honorary Treasurer) and Major D. H. Steers (Honorary Secretary).

The minutes of the last Meeting and also those of the Special Meeting held on October 17th were read and confirmed, after which the Honorary Secretary reported that as regards the construction of the Clubhouse, this was now well in hand, and that it was hoped that the official opening would take place, either at the end of November, or in the early part of December. In connection with this building, the offer of the China Light and Power Company Ltd. to arrange a supply of electric current for both lighting and power purpose at a considerable cost to themselves, but free of cost to the Association, was gratefully accepted, as was that of the Concrete Products Ltd., to defray the entire cost of the concrete stairway to the building from the 600 yards firing-point.

It was also reported that donations received since the last Council Meeting were more than sufficient to defray the cost of the necessary turning in front of the site, the installation of a water supply, and the necessary excavation of earth at the rear of the building. Another offer, i.e. that of the General Electric Company Ltd., to wire the entire building for electric power and light, at a cost much below the normal was also gratefully accepted. The Honorary Secretary was authorised to allow the contractor to proceed with the foul drainage system, and to put same in hand as early as possible.

The Honorary Secretary reported that the individual full membership up to, and including yesterday, was 453.

RANGE ACCOMMODATION
The matter of range accommodation during week-ends came up for discussion, and it was agreed to leave the matter in the hands of the President for the present.

A letter was read from the Commandant of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps in which the Officer stated that His Excellency The General Officer Commanding was kindly presenting a Silver Challenge Cup to be awarded to the serving Volunteer making the highest score in the competition for His Excellency The Governor's Prize, with the one qualification that if the latter prize is won by a serving Volunteer, than His Excellency The Governor's Prize.

The meeting then closed.

COLONY'S LAWS RELATING TO THE CHINESE

Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo's Observations

INTERESTING LECTURE AT UNIVERSITY

The Union Assembly Hall at the University was filled to capacity last night when the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo delivered an address of absorbing interest to members and friends of the Hong Kong University Arts Association, his subject being "Some observations on the Laws of the Colony in relation to the Chinese." Mr. Cheng Yum Yue, chairman, introduced the speaker of the evening who addressed the meeting and said he was not able to give this talk sooner on account of pressure of work.

The Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo said that in so far as the local laws apply Chinese law or custom in any particular case, the nature and effect of the Chinese law or custom must be proved as a fact by competent witnesses. And "foreign law" is also regarded by the English law as a question of fact, and has to be similarly proved. The local Legislature can, of course, prescribe how any foreign law can be ascertained.

The calling of expert evidence to prove Chinese law or custom may be an expensive matter, and the speaker felt the local Legislature should deal with the question of

Chinese law and custom in a more efficacious way than by leaving it to be proved by expert evidence. The fact that, in Hong Kong, the Chinese constitute about 97 per cent. of the population, the speaker thought, would merit some special provision.

There have been various judicial decisions on the laws applicable to Chinese in regard to such matters as succession on an intestacy to leaseholds, right of a widow to take grant of letters of Administration, the position of a Kit Fat, Tin Fong, Tsu Mo, concubine, and a widow who had remarried, in relation to the right to a grant of letters of Administration. All such cases involved the calling of elaborate and conflicting expert evidence on Chinese law and custom, and very expensive litigation.

The Hon. Mr. Lo pointed out that it would be increasingly difficult to find the necessary experts to prove a law or custom which have been so fundamentally changed and affected by the laws of the Chinese Republic.

The speaker added, the question as to what laws of China should be applied to Chinese in Hong Kong (whether those which exist

UNSIGHTLY POSTERS

Prohibition In Canton

Canton, Oct. 30. In order to improve the present untidy appearance of the main streets and open spaces of Canton City, and the walls of shops and buildings, which are permanently disfigured by unsightly advertising bills and posters, Mr. Li Kit-chi, Superintendent of the City Police, has issued a notification to the effect that beginning from November 1 next, all owners and occupiers of shops and houses must remove all unsightly bills and posters from the walls of their houses, and see that such walls are always kept clean and tidy. The Police of the City having been instructed to vigorously prosecute any further offenders.

Chinese Evening Press.

ed in 1843, or the present Republic laws of China, must assume importance with the lapse of time. It may be that prior to the Revolution, when China, with her unchanging laws and customs was in a static state of intense conservatism, the provisions made by the local Legislature were adequate. But now that the Republic is struggling to introduce modern laws to regulate her teeming millions, many of the old laws and customs must gradually disappear. If they have not already disappeared, and it is opportune to consider the question as to what enactments can be made declaratory of the law to be applied to Chinese in specified cases, so that the law to be applied may approximate more closely to the modern Chinese laws, and so as to give certainty to many points affecting Chinese life, which are either still obscure or can only be ascertained by a judicial decision on conflicting expert evidence.

The speaker then touched on a few Ordinances which specifically affect Chinese and said a few words on the important questions of Marriage and Divorce, and touched on the kindred question of Concubines. As to what constitutes a valid marriage, the speaker said, this involves consideration of certain essential requisites, such as age, mental capacity, kindred or affinity, as well as the form of ceremony. Generally the capacity to marry is governed by the laws of the domicile of each of the parties to the marriage, while the form of ceremony is governed entirely by the law of the place in which the marriage takes place. But, the speaker pointed out, there is nothing in the Ordinance to say that a marriage according to Chinese law and custom is valid in law to all intents and purposes. In the Marriage Ordinance, and in various provisions in various Ordinances, the validity of a Chinese marriage is assumed rather than expressed.

Touching on the point of Divorce, the speaker said that under the Civil Code a husband and wife may effect a divorce by mutual consent in writing in the presence of two witnesses. It will therefore be seen that Chinese who are domiciled in Hong Kong cannot get a divorce at all under their own laws. Where the divorce takes the form of a divorce by mutual consent it will be a question for judicial decision as to whether such a divorce is recognised, as valid by the Supreme Court in Hong Kong. The question of domicile, the Hon. Mr. Lo pointed out, is a very important one, as it affects succession and inheritance, and the jurisdiction of the Court to grant a divorce.

Regarding the question of Concubines, the speaker said that the position of a concubine has been judicially recognised by the Hong Kong Courts, and by the highest tribunal, namely, the Privy Council. That position, together with the legitimacy of the offspring of a concubine, depended upon a very old custom in China, which has been swept away by the laws of the Chinese Republic. In dealing with this question of Concubines, the speaker said that a concubine's rights are still governed by the Chinese laws, and customs of 1844.

Full use was made of the opportunity to question the speaker on numerous points covered by the subject, the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo replying to all.

A hearty vote of thanks proposed by the president, Mr. T. A. Martin, was carried by acclamation and brought an extremely interesting meeting to a close, those present then adjourning to the tea-room, where light refreshments were served.

BATTLE FOR PRICE CONTROL

Annual Consumption As High As 1929 Peak
FURTHER RELEASE INEVITABLE

London, October 30.

The phases in the battle between producers and consumers, with stakes held by speculators, is daily becoming more interesting. To-day's further advance of 7s. 6d., making the price of spot metal 42s., appears to indicate that the situation is leastwise temporarily getting out of hand.

While both consumers and producers are fighting for the same object, which is the large deliveries of copper at so-called reasonable prices, the urgency in demand is so great that spot forced up willy-nilly with successive quota and releases are not yet able to make themselves felt. Consumers, who for the last seven years have carried practically no stocks, are now most rapidly acquiring the metal at a rate of consumption reliably estimated at two million tons annually, which is as high as the all-time peak attained in 1929 when the average price of copper was 75s. sterling.

The elasticity of the operation by producers and restriction of the scheme is most warmly commended but it is felt that they are hardly human if they do not avail themselves of the extra £2 rise caused by the insistence in demand though it is generally accepted that a further quota of release is inevitable if the price soon goes around 43s.—*Reuter.*

TRANSPORT'S ARRIVAL

Some Details For Hong Kong

The transport Dilwara, due here on Monday, is bringing a number of Officers and detail for relief in Hong Kong, and also the Loyal Regiment from Palestine, who are replacing the Lancashire Fusiliers in Shanghai. The latter battalion is going to Tientsin to relieve the Worcestershires, who are being transferred to India where they will be taken by the Dilwara on her return trip.

A passenger for Shanghai is the Rev. J.N.L. Bryan who was stationed here two years ago.

Lieut.-Col. J. E. Hume, D.S.O., Commanding Officer of the Loyal Regiment, is on board the Dilwara, and the following personnel are destined for Hong Kong:

Royal Artillery—Lieut. P. R. Hemans and Mrs. Hemans; Lieut. J. R. Devenport; Mrs. Churcher, wife of Major Churcher.

Royal Engineers—Second/Lieut. H. L. Reeves, Mrs. Reeves and family.

Royal Corps of Signals—Major J. C. McDonald and Mrs. McDonald.

Royal Welch Fusiliers—Lieut. Col. D. M. Barchard, Officer Commanding the 2nd Battalion.

Royal Ulster Rifles—Lieut. J. B. Jeffries and Mrs. Jeffries; Second/Lieut. M.D.G.C. Ryan; Second/Lieut. E. F. Johnson.

R.A.M.C.—Major W. D. Arthur, Lieut. (Q.M.) A. V. Higgle, M.B.E.

Army Dental Corps—Lieut. J. A. Sherwen.

Army Audit Staff—Mr. G. R. Cairns and Mrs. Cairns; Mr. H. R. Hubert and Mr. A. J. Hall.

Royal Army Chaplains—Rev. E.D.A. Staunton, M.C. and Mrs. Staunton.

The following are leaving Hong Kong by the Dilwara, when she returns from Shanghai, sailing for England on November 20:

For United Kingdom—Capt. L. M. Smith, 8th Heavy Brigade, R.A. Mrs. Smith and family; Mrs. Foley, wife of Major Foley, R.E.; Major W.P.M. Parkes, M.C., Royal Corps of Signals, Mrs. Parkes and family; Rev. H. C. Davies, Mrs. Davies and family; Lieut.-Col. A. P. D. Whitaker, D.S.O., R.A.S.C.; Major (Q.M.) C. M. Palmer, R.A. M.C.

For Singapore—Capt. J. Hooper, R.A. Mrs. Hooper and family.

For Colombo—Lieut. P. de N. Ramus, R.A.

For India—Capt. Shean, East Yorkshire Regiment, and Mrs. Shean.

DEBATE ON NON-INTERVENTION

No Modification Of British Policy

SAFEGUARD OF HOSTAGES

London, Oct. 29.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Prime Minister, made his first appearance since his illness in the House of Commons to-day, when he wound up the debate on the non-intervention policy of the Government in connection with the Spanish civil war.

The Premier looked slightly pale, but he retained his vigour of expression. He declared that there had been some breaches of the Non-Intervention Pact on both sides, but these were not sufficiently important to cause any modification of the British policy. Since the end of August, Britain had furthered her humanitarian efforts in Spain. The first appeal was rejected by the Spanish Government, and consequently it was not submitted to the Burgos authorities. Since then, Britain had pursued her action alone, with a fair measure of success.

The Diplomatic Corps, jointly, and the British Charge d'Affaires privately, had made representations to check the mounting toll of private assassinations and had secured the posting of reliable guards in the prisons. The Minister of State had given an assurance that the murders would stop, and good results from the appeal were immediately noticeable.

NO USE FOR EXTREMES
"Thank God, as far as Britain is concerned, these two forces are not worth that," declared the Prime Minister, snapping his fingers, in climaxing a characteristic disquisition on Communism and Fascism.

"The difference between democracies and autocracies is that the former advertises its troubles to the world. Under authoritarianism we have to guess their troubles," said Mr. Baldwin. "Our system is healthier, notwithstanding incidents like Lord Nuffield's criticism of the Air Ministry which were broadcast exaggeratedly through authoritarian states."

Attacking Communism, the Prime Minister declared it will neither brook, realise, understand or allow any fact that "clashes with what it wants to believe."

He referred to the suggestion that Germany might attack Great Britain and said simply that that was not where the danger was coming from. He refused to regard war as inevitable, he added. Every month gained for peace is a gain on the right side, and "that is what we are working for," he concluded.—*Reuter.*

ROOSEVELT ALLEGES COERCION

New York, Oct. 29.

Governor Alfred Landon of Kansas, Republican aspirant for the American presidency, to-day visited the widow of one of the most beloved of the country's presidents, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt. He placed a wreath on the grave of her illustrious husband, in whose "bull moose" campaign he participated as a young man.

Governor Landon left the grave of one Roosevelt to attempt to dig a grave, metaphorically speaking, for another.

Meanwhile, President F. D. Roosevelt, Democrat leader, carried his campaign for the presidency through Pennsylvania.

At Wilkes-Barre, he condemned, "coercion," the propaganda currently inserted by employers in large quantities of workers' pay envelopes.

He signalled out particularly that propaganda attacking the new Social Security Act. "These propagandists are driven to the contemptible, unpatriotic suggestion that some future Congress will steal these insurance funds for other purposes. Labour and a fair-minded public must place such tactics in a class with coercion of the strong-arm squad and the whispering labour spy."

"If they really believe what they say in the pay envelopes, they ought to move to some other nation in which they have greater faith," President Roosevelt suggested.—*Reuter.*

WALL STREET BETTING
London, Oct. 29.
Wall Street betting on the Presidential election is 3 to 1 on President Roosevelt and 8 to 5 against Governor Landon.—*Reuter.*



Vice-Admiral Sir Charles J. C. Little, K.C.B., C.-in-C. China Station.

KEELUNG INCIDENT

Japanese "Amused"

Shanghai, Oct. 30.

British naval circles here are most indignant as a result of the "United Press" message from Tokyo which stated that a report from the Keelung police to the Japanese Foreign Office denied ill-treatment of British sailors or the receipt of a request for reparations.

The police report suggested that the disturbances were due to the failure of British sailors to pay a taxi fare, and the "United Press" added that Japanese sources were "amused" over the postponement of Admiral Sir Charles Little's visit, saying he was expected to visit Japan later.

The "North China Daily News" in a leading article to-day, says "Japan's attitude is ill-advised and discourteous, and there is no doubt that the British Admiralty is seriously perturbed by the reports received from the China fleet."

"Tokyo's desire to be amused does not do justice to Japanese dignity," adds the newspaper.—*Reuter.*

HAMMOND HITS CENTURY

Against South Australia XI

WARD BOWLS WELL

Adelaide, Oct. 30.

At the conclusion of the first days' play in the four-day match between the M.C.C. touring team and a South Australia eleven, the latter had scored 11 runs for the loss of one wicket after the M.C.C. had hit up 233. Bad light intervened at the close of play.

The weather was cold with occasional drizzles and the wicket was on the easy side.

At lunch, the M.C.C. had lost two wickets with 66 runs on the scoreboard.

Walter Hammond, again distinguished himself, scoring 104. He batted in restrained manner and put up a sterling defence. He dealt severely with loose balls and nearly drove Grimmett to distraction with sweeping leg shots. He was at the crease for 198 minutes, and hit 10 fours.

Headley Verity scored 31. Ward, who captured five wickets for 79 runs in 21 overs, two of which were maidens, displayed clever fighting and varied his pace. His delivery is like Grimmett's and he is considered a probable player for the Test match.—*Reuter.*

EXTRA-HOLIDAY

London, Oct. 29.

The King has expressed the hope that his Coronation may be marked by an extra holiday to boys and girls in all schools.—*British Wireless.*

LONDON QUOTATIONS

London, Oct. 30.

Sterling on New York 4.89; Paris, 105-5/16; stock markets quiet. War Loan, 104-5/16; Gold, 142 1/2.—*British Wireless.*

COUP D'ETAT IN PERSIA

Accomplished Without Bloodshed

NEW PREMIER APPOINTED

London, Oct. 30.

A successful coup d'etat was accomplished yesterday at Baghdad, according to information from official headquarters in London.

Faced by a threat of military rising, the Prime Minister resigned and the King has appointed Hikmat Salaman the new premier. The coup d'etat was accomplished without bloodshed and all is quiet at Baghdad.—*Reuter.*

EXPLOSIVES FOR SPAIN

Paris, Oct. 30.

No fewer than 65 Soviet Russian officers are now actively engaged in the reorganization of the Catalan Army, according to a message sent out by the Nationalist broadcasting station at Ceres de la Frontera, which also announces that two Soviet Russian ships anchored in the port of Barcelona have been bombed by Nationalist planes.

According to a report published in the "Echo de Paris," numerous freight carriages bearing labels designating contents as "explosives" have recently passed through the small French town of Vendres near the Spanish border enroute for Spain.

The name of the shipper of the explosives is not revealed on the bills lading, according to the "Echo de Paris" which asserts that a notorious Spanish communist, living near the French border, is the consignee of the shipments.

The paper requests the French authorities to hold an investigation into the affair which it says may lead to sensational disclosures.—*Transocean News Service.*

RUSSIAN AID

Lisbon, Oct. 30.

A communique issued by General Varela at his headquarters claims that in yesterday's fighting the insurgents captured many prisoners, including 300 newly-arrived Russian soldiers who could not speak a word of Spanish. The message adds that officers taken prisoner state that a Russian general, has assumed command of the Government forces and has concentrated all his troops south-west of the capital, leaving only a weak outpost to guard the Guadarrama front.—*Reuter.*

BATTLE RUMOUR

Gibraltar, Oct. 30.

Gun practice by the Gibraltar batteries has given rise to the belief that a naval battle is in progress in the Straits. It is now officially stated that no naval action took place in the Straits yesterday or to-day.—*Reuter.*

ITALY'S DENIAL

Rome, Oct. 30.

That Italy is intending to intervene militarily on sea and in the air in the Spanish civil conflict, as has been vigorously asserted in Press reports published abroad, is emphatically denied by the Italian Ministry of Propaganda in an official statement.

The statement adds a warning that the publication of reports of such kind, which obviously is spread to disturb the preliminary negotiations for the conclusion of the appeasement of Europe, are the potential causes of serious uprisings.—*Transocean News Service.*

LORD NUFFIELD ANSWERS QUESTIONS

Future Of £500,000

Acroplane Factory

London, Oct. 30.

Lord Nuffield, who was present in the House of Lords during the debate on the dispute between him and the Air Ministry, took no formal part in the proceedings but, in reply to questions addressed to him regarding the future of his £500,000 aeroplane factory, he said it would be used for the manufacture of other types of engines and later said that it was intended to employ the factory for the making of engines for tanks.—*British Wireless.*

GRIEVANCES TO BE REMOVED

Royal Commission's Task

London, Oct. 30.

In a broadcast address from Jerusalem last night, the High Commissioner in Palestine, Sir Arthur Wauchoppe, said the task of the Royal Commission, which will arrive in Palestine on November 11, was to investigate the grievances and consider how with justice and fairness the aspirations of both peoples might be realised and their grievances removed.

The task before the people of Palestine was to present their claims in such a way as to make possible deep rooted and permanent peace. The Commission provided a great opportunity for both the Jew and the Arab to find a common agreement. He characterised as rash the Arab talk of boycotting the Commission and concluded, "Now, more than ever, we must encourage the quality of patience. The goodwill for peace and not terror shall rule in Palestine."—*British Wireless.*

AIR MINISTRY'S WHITE PAPER

London, Oct. 29.

Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-Secretary for Air, told the House of Commons to-day that he had Lord Nuffield's authority to say that the noted industrialist accepted the Air Ministry's White Paper as a fair statement of the Government's view in the controversy between the pier and the Ministry.

Lord Nuffield had said, the Under-Secretary went on, that although he was unable to co-operate in the Government's Air Force expansion plan, he was ready to help the authorities in other important work.

The Under-Secretary did not go into the details of the controversy, nor did he mention that Lord Nuffield had charged the Air Ministry's political element with deliberate obstruction.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin, the Prime Minister, promised the Opposition leader, Mr. C. R. Attlee, that the House would have the opportunity of debating the whole affair during the next session.—*Reuter.*

COMPLAINANT ABSCONDS

Serious Allegations Against Woman Dismissed

Because of the absence of a complainant in a case in which serious allegations were made against a Chinese woman, was dismissed at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. It was revealed that the complainant had absconded from the Colony.

Mr. J. M. d'Almada Remédios, for the defence, intimated to Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen that he would take civil proceedings on behalf of his client against her accuser, when and at such time as she returned. Yuen Lin Kwai, 33, woman was charged with detaining a 2-year-old boy with the intention of depriving the mother, Leung Ho, 29, described as a kept woman of its possession and with taking part in a transaction to transfer the custody of the child for a valuable consideration.

Inspector E. J. Ellis, of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, appeared for the prosecution. He informed His Worship that the complainant, Leung Ho had absconded from the Colony, and therefore the case could not be proceeded with.

Mr. d'Almada requested His Worship to make a note on his disposition of this fact. He said that there appeared to be a question of collusion between the complainant and a man named Chan, to discredit his client.

He had full intentions of bringing a civil action against the complainant when and if she returned to the Colony. The case was dismissed.

MACAO RACE MEETING

INTERESTING PROGRAMME
DRAWN UP

(BY "LAST QUARTER")

With the present ideal weather conditions and assurances of fine racing, the sporting fraternity would be well advised to visit the Portuguese Colony to-morrow for the November meeting of the Macao Jockey Club. The Stewards have drawn up an interesting programme of six events, including a sprint race for lady riders, and an afternoon of keen sport amidst pleasant surroundings can be anticipated. The S.S. "Kinslan" has been placed on the run and will leave Hong Kong at 9.30 a.m. returning from Macao at 6 p.m. on the same day.

The first event will be a Nine Furlongs race for "D" Class ponies. Burgomaster is lightly handicapped at 145 lbs., and as this chestnut has always figured prominently on the Arela Preta course, I consider his chance, bright. Copper Idol and Diogenes should share the remaining places. Ocean View and Valley View will help to make up the field though the latter would be worth following if he looks well in the paddock.

From information received, Rothesay Bay is favoured to win the Fochow Plate over 5 Furlongs for Macao subs, the second race of the day. Merry Fatty finished strongly at the last meeting and together with Hogmanay should run well to-morrow.

The Kwangchow Handicap for "E" Class ponies over Six Furlongs, will probably see all the entrants face the starter. The two top weights, King's Parade and Old Star at 161 lbs., are my fancies. The former did quite a useful gallop on Wednesday morning, while Old Star, with a novice jockey up, ran an excellent race last Saturday at the Valley. Shamrock should be next in demand. I am afraid I cannot entertain much hope for the balance of the field

with the possible exception of Ballos.

Race fans will probably witness the best race of the day when the Hangchow Handicap, 1 Mile, is run. This race is confined to winners and placed ponies only among the Macao subs and the finish should be close. Merry Doer would be my first choice, but I am not quite sure that this pony is entirely sound, and therefore shall have to tip Shin Yin Grand. Shanghai Four, a dual winner at the September meeting should be well supported in the betting, and with Wentworth, are my selections for the two minor positions.

The Soochow Plate, 5 Furlongs, will probably bring out the same field as the Fochow Plate (2nd Race). Hunters should make a careful study of the display put up by the various ponies in their first outing of the day, paying special attention to the ones that finish strongly or did not have the best of the running. My selections are Merry Fatty, Hogmanay and City Life.

The Ladies Spring Race over 5 Furlongs should prove interesting. I favour Ginger to win, with Wisdom Stag and Paul Jones next.

ROMANY FAIR

Attraction At St. Andrew's Church Grounds

The Romany Fair to be held in St. Andrew's Church grounds this afternoon will be opened at 3 p.m. by Lady Caldecott, the wife of His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott. The Chairman of the Fair is the Rev. J. R. Higgs. Many attractive stalls have been arranged and there will be a children's fancy dress parade at 3.45 p.m.

A dance arranged by St. Andrew's Club will be held in the Church Hall from 9 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. During the afternoon selections will be played by the band of the 1/8 Punjab Regiment by kind permission of Lt.-Col. J. C. Brewer, M.C. and Officers.

INDIAN COMMITTED

Harehand Singh was committed to stand his trial at the next Sessions, by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of offering a bribe of \$250 to L/S. A. 99 Gough, for the transfer of two friends from shore duty to ships' guards.

Mr. G. S. Ford was for the defence while Mr. E. H. Williams, Assistant Attorney General prosecuted.

HEROIN CHARGE

Kwong Yin, woman appeared before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy yesterday for possession of 2,500 heroin pills.

Sergt. Sullivan prosecuted, and said that, on being searched the defendant was found to have the pills tied around her waist by a band, at Tung Street near Hollywood Road, on October 22.

The defendant was fined \$2,500 with the alternative of one year.

ASSAULT ALLEGED

Alleged to have assaulted two Indian constables, Jewan Singh and Bhagwan Singh at Temple Street, Li Pui, 35, unemployed, appeared at the Kowloon Magistracy before Mr. Q. A. Macartney yesterday and was remanded.

CAR SUMMONS

A. V. Strijevsky appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy on a summons for allowing his car to remain unattended outside the Hong Kong Hotel, Peddar Street for more than five minutes, on October 19.

Mr. Strijevsky said that he was ordered to give a demonstration, and on arriving at the Hotel he went in to look for his customer. Sergt. Kelly prosecuted. A fine of \$5 was imposed.

VALLEY RACE MEETING

Entries And Weights

The following are the weights and entries for the Tenth Extra Race meeting at Happy Valley on November 7:—

Surrey Handicap—"A" Class (1 Mile)
Cossack's Beauty 145, Gladiator 140, Herod 155, King's Warden 161, Oak Bay 151, Soldier of Britain 163, Wild Life 158.

Nullah Nullah Handicap—"A" Class (6 Furlongs)
Australian-Boy 140, Bobniak Star 140, Derby Day 149, Vixen Tor 152.

Norfolk Handicap—"D" Class (5 Furlongs)
Celebration Time 140, Donovan 168, Gold Sovereign 151, Mountain View 145, Night View 168, Sylvandale 155, The Hero 142.

Kent Handicap—"C" Class (6 Furlongs)
Great Hall 140, High Honour 140, Jungle Jim 161, King's Bounty 161, Miracle 140, Monoplane 147, New Star 140, Rousseau 140, Soldier of Peace 145, The Tiger 168, Tyne 140, Valorous 140, Victoria Hall 140, What A Chance 140.

Cantala Handicap—"B" Class (6 Furlongs)
Blandford 140, Double Finesse 160, Honey 147, Perfect Day 143, Racing Heart 142, Saucy Face 160, Snowy River 159, Streamline 135.

Sussex Handicap—"E" Class (7 Furlongs)
Ballos 149, Blue Ribbon 163, Cassius 143, Ebony Idol 163, Emergency Call 148, Estover 161, Heriot 140, Humber 168, King's Parade 161, Old Star 161, Popular Star 150, Rugby Star 158, Shamrock 140.

Suffolk Handicap—"D" Class (5 Furlongs)
Burgomaster 140, Cavalcade 150, Copper Idol 140, Diogenes 156, Don 155, Double Chance 140, Gold Coin 158, Merry Doer 146, Pride of Taing-tao 160, Racing Boy 155, Spinaway 168, Wadebridge 161, Zero 151.

CRICKET

The following will represent the H.K.C.C. 1st XI v. A. United Services XI on the H.K.C.C. ground to-day at 2.00 p.m.:—
A. W. Hayward (Captain), H. Owen Hughes, E. R. Duckitt, R. L. Holden, T. A. Pearce, L. D. Kilbee, R. D. Gillespie, G. A. Stewart, C. G. Agney, N. P. Fox, R. B. Neve.

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LOCAL GOLF

Fanling Starting Times

The starting times for Fanling to-morrow are as follows:—
OLD COURSE

a.m.
9.20 R. A. McKenny and E. L. Groom.
9.24 T. R. Chassels and W. N. Buyers.
9.28 A. E. Lissaman and A. D. Humphreys.
9.32 K. W. Jones and J. C. Dunbar.
9.36 P. Morrison and A. Kidd.
9.40 S. S. Church and W. G. Robertson.
9.44 J. A. Cooper and T. Lindars.
9.48 H. Jussierand and D. S. Edwards.
9.52 R. I. Cherrill and E. Bathurst.
9.56 A. McKellar and H. N. Williamson.
10.00 K. K. Rounds and E. T. McMullen.
10.04 F. C. Young and R. G. Webb.
10.08 J. Forbes and D. L. Prophet.
10.12 A. Anderson and N. K. Littlejohn.
10.16 C. W. Jeffries and F. H. Crapnell.
10.20 W. L. Alexander and J. Harrop.
10.24 H. M. Alexander and Wing Cdr. Bishop.
10.28 G. F. Rees and Lieut.-Cdr. Palmer.
10.32 Surg. Lieut.-Cdr. Marks and Pay. Lieut. Morant.

NEW COURSE

a.m.
9.24 T. Low and H. U. Ireland.
9.32 Mrs. Jussierand and Miss Curtin.
9.40 E. C. Norris and J. C. Finch.
10.32 T. A. Martin and A. A. Bremer.
11.00 V. M. Grayburn and F. E. Winter.

Club Championship At Kowloon

The following are the starting times for the Kowloon G.C. Championship to be played to-morrow at Kowloon City:—

a.m.
9.00 F. E. A. Remedios and A. Urquhart.
9.05 H. H. Mundy and P. B. Booker.
9.10 A. A. Lopes and S. Jex.
9.15 A. T. Braley and K. S. Robertson.
9.20 F. O. Barry and J. D. Thomson.
9.25 A. W. da Rosa and G. Milne.
9.30 G. P. Murphy and W. Taylor.
9.35 T. D. Paton and A. Eastman.
9.40 W. M. Groves and A. J. Dennis.
9.45 R. K. Collings and H. D. Gausden.
9.50 W. A. Stewart and E. O. Murphy.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

Two Games This Afternoon

There will be two games of Rugby Football to-day on the Club ground at Happy Valley. At 3.00 p.m. the Club 'A' XV will meet a team drawn from the 8th Destroyer Flotilla, whilst at 4.15 p.m. the Club 1st XV will meet the Army.

The Club sides have been selected as follows:
'A' XV:—H. F. Hopkins, D. Hynes, R. H. Griffiths, D. A. Hande, W. J. Read, C. W. Lyle, J. R. Henderson, W. H. Currie, T. Swan, M. S. Cumming, R. P. Edwards, S. H. Garrod, (Capt.) B. Hynes, J. G. Dalziel and R. A. Munro.
1st XV:—P. C. Frost, H. van Leeuwen, W. E. Grieve, H. D. Bidwell, G. K. Chadwick, A. H. R. Butcher, J. L. Bonnar, K. A. Watson, J. S. Dunnett, A. W. Holden, W. E. Peers, I. H. Bradford, N. E. Clarke, A. F. Walkden (Capt.) and J. Redman.

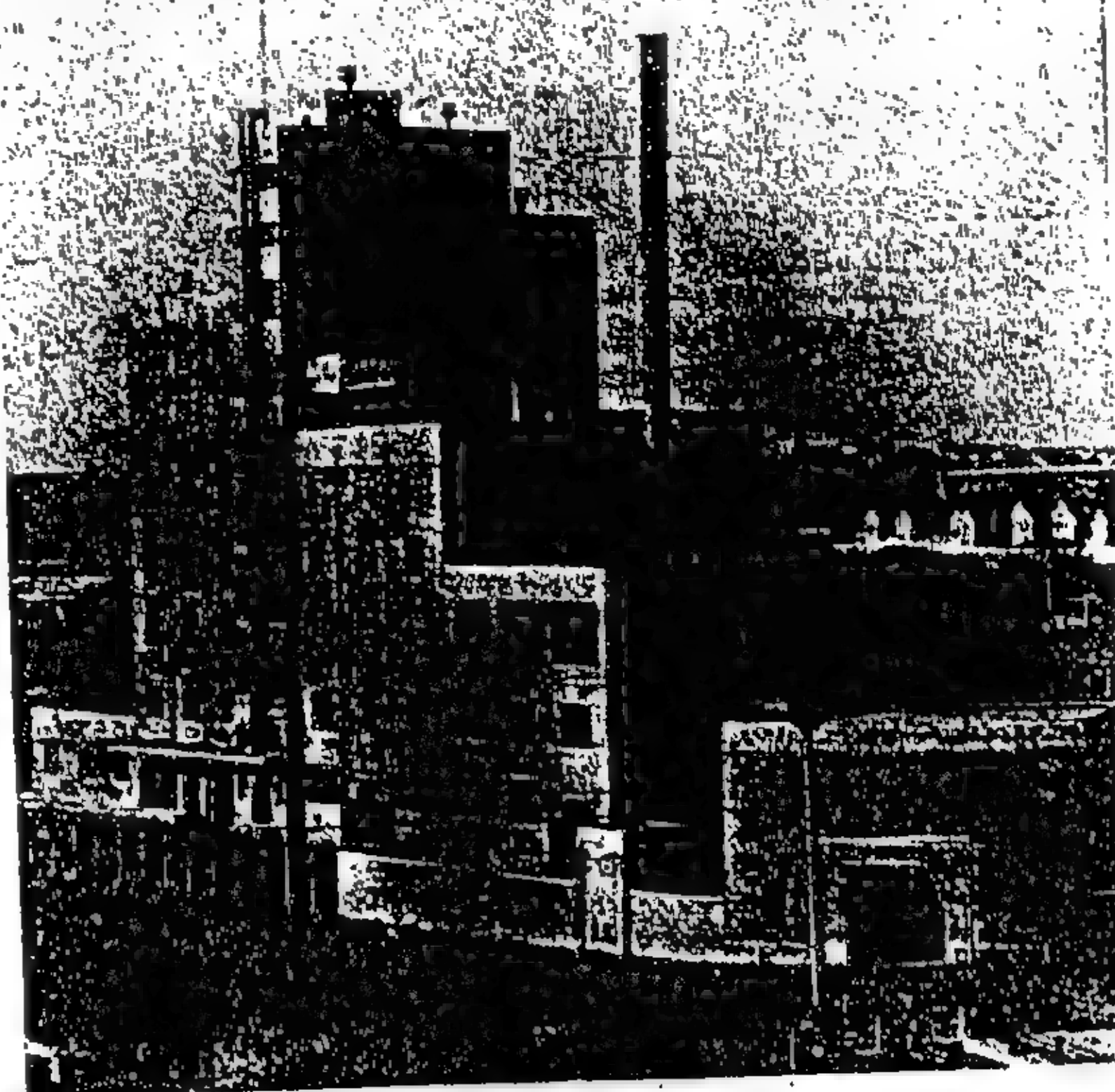
FORMER CHAMPION RETURNS

Mr. William Russell, retired Government Marine Surveyor, and a former bowls champion of the Colony, arrived back in Hong Kong from Australia. Mr. Russell left the Colony in 1933 and returned again in the autumn of 1935. After only a short stay, he left for Australia with his daughter, Moira, who, early this year, was married.

JOCKEY RETURNS

Mr. Norman Delta, the well-known local jockey, returned to the Colony yesterday by the President Coolidge.

EWO'S NEW BREWERY



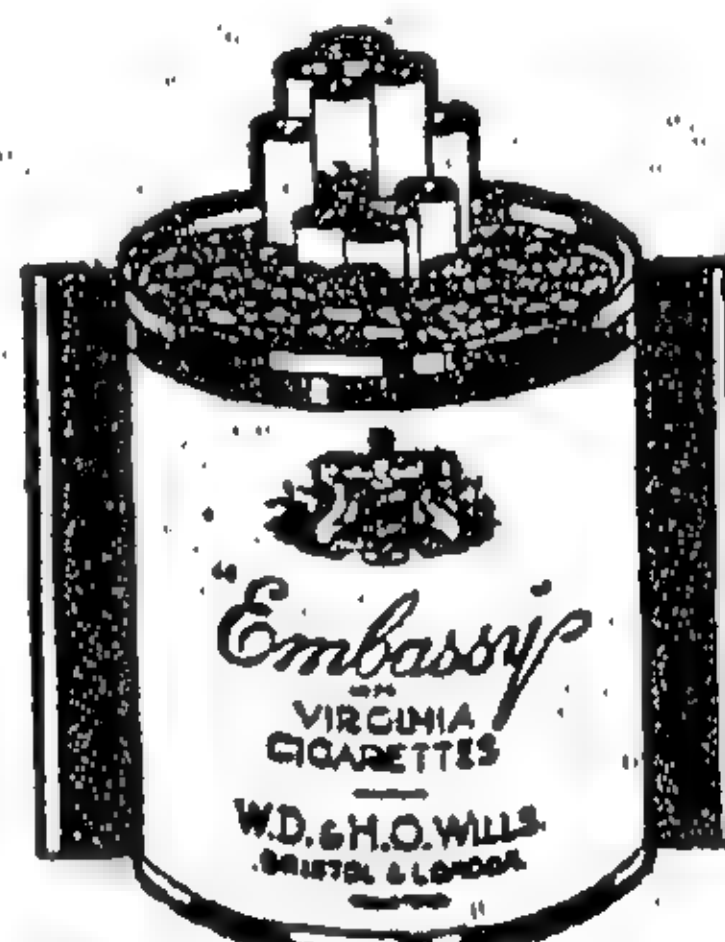
Recently it was announced that Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., had shown their confidence in the future of foreign trade in China, by the addition of a new storey to their already extensive office premises on The Bund, Shanghai. Further proof of their initiative and enterprise is shown by the construction of a modern and up-to-date brewery at Tinghai Road, near the Point. The beer is of the highest quality, and the manufacturers are confident the public, who long have been awaiting the appearance of the new brand, will appreciate the unusually high standard which has been attained in its production.

BRADMAN BEREAVED

Adelaide, Oct. 30.
Don Bradman is not playing in the cricket match against the M.C.C., because of the death of his child, born yesterday.

HOME RUGBY

London, Oct. 29.
Warwickshire defeated Leicestershire, at Nuneaton by 26 points to nil, in the only rugby game played.



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NOMADS' TEAM

The following have been selected to represent the Nomads in a friendly hockey match against H.M.S. Cumberland at 4.30 p.m., at Happy Valley to-day:—E. Alves; H. Soares, R. Gubbay; J. Marques, R. J. Reed, A. N. Other; J. H. Franco, S. Souza, S. A. Reed, A. Eca da Silva and G. Soares.

HOCKEY

The Hong Kong Hockey Club secured a runaway victory against the 8th Flotilla on the Navy ground at King's Park yesterday by seven goals to nil. There were some fast play but the sailors were clearly out-classed.

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* m.v. "RHEINLAND" for Shanghai, Dairen, Taiping, Moji, Kobe, Osaka, Yokohama, Nagoya, 27th Nov.

HOMEWARD SAILINGS
* s.s. "ERMI" for Genoa, Bona, Antwerp, Rotterdam, 31st Oct.
* m.v. "DUISBURG" for Genoa, Bona, Antwerp, Rotterdam, 10th Nov.
* s.s. "OLDENBURG" for Genoa, Bona, Antwerp, Rotterdam, 30th Nov.
* m.v. "LEVERKUSEN" for Genoa, Bona, Antwerp, Rotterdam, 8th Dec.

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No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Ship, and Goods remaining undelivered prior to the departure of the vessel will be landed and stored in our Godowns &/or lighters at the cost of landing and storage being for Consignee's Account.

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All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown, and all General Cargo remaining undelivered after 4th Nov. will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 18th Nov., 1936, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.
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LONDON SILVER MARKET

London, Oct. 29.
The strength of the London silver market, which to-day advanced a further 1/16 to 20-3/16 per ounce, is attributed almost entirely to the cessation of sales from China and Hong Kong.

Brokers point out that the attainment of the highest price since May 20, 1936, is due to the reserve of sellers rather than any inclination to buy. Consequently the small daily purchases from India are quite sufficient to cause a steady appreciation in price.

Some quarters report increased speculative interest based on the belief that the United States, in an effort to prevent any substantial appreciation of dollars in terms of sterling, will engage in more active silver purchases. But the majority are inclined to doubt this occurrence in view of the steadiness of the dollar, with the result that no large bull account of silver exists nor is it anticipated.

Reuter.

LACK OF COAL

Lille Ind. sury Is Threatened

Paris, Oct. 29.
The sorely tried Lille industry will again it appears, be soon brought to a standstill, this time through lack of coal due to a strike of 400 coal transport workers. No less than 40 factories in Roubaix, employing a total of 20,000 workers had to close down on Thursday morning, and the stocks of coal in many other large factories are on the verge of exhaustion.

This means that if a settlement is not reached on Thursday or Friday at the latest, a further 80,000 textile operatives will be thrown out of work against their will.

The Secretary of the Coal Merchants' Association, described the situation as "revolutionary." 12,000 tons of coal are waiting at the station to be transported to the factories concerned, while the canals are blocked with hundreds of barges, carrying 40,000 tons of coal.

On Thursday the Government took a decisive step by sending Mobile Guards to protect trucks of factories, which were taking delivery of the coal themselves.

Serious clashes occurred with the strikers, when a crowd of about 200 tried to prevent the passage of the trucks. They were finally dispersed by the Guards.

Transocean News Service.

CATALAN INDUSTRIES CONFISCATED

Barcelona, Oct. 29.
All the Catalan industries that employed over a hundred workers on June 13 last, have been confiscated by the Nationalists by new laws which were already announced but not put into operation until Thursday. The smaller private factories will be managed in future by their owners and the Marxist Worker's Committee.

The provision for indemnity to be paid to foreign firms with factories in Catalonia, has been made but the conditions have not been announced.

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GOVERNMENT REPLY

To Lord Nuffield's Criticisms

London, Oct. 29.
Statements were made in the House regarding Lord Nuffield's criticisms of the Government's plans for the manufacture of aero-engines.

Lord Swinton in the House of Lords and Sir Philip Sassoon in the House of Commons drew attention to the White Paper published this morning, which showed that the Government in adopting the policy with which Lord Nuffield disagreed, acted upon the considered advice of experienced firms which were undertaking the work of construction the engines required.

Lord Nuffield accepted the White Paper as a fair statement of the Government's point of view of what had passed between the Air Ministry and himself, and he did not propose to make any further statement.

Although he was not able to co-operate in the air plan, he held himself ready to place his services at the disposal of the Government for other important work.

British Wireless.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service)

	October 29.	October 30.
Paris	105 9/64	105 9/32
Geneva	21.28 1/2	21.28 1/2
Berlin	12.16 1/2	12.16
Athens		
Milan	92 1/2	
Shanghai		
New York	4.89 1/2	4.88 15/16
Amsterdam	9.05	9.03 1/2
Vienna		
Prague	138 1/2	138 3/16
Bucharest		
Madrid		
Lisbon		
Hong Kong		
Brussels	29.04 1/2	28.98 1/2
Montevideo		
Belgrade	4.88 1/2	4.88 1/2
Montreal		
Yokohama		
Helsingfors		
Rio		
Buenos Aires		
Silver (Spot)	20 1/2	20 3/16
Silver (Forward)	108 5/16	3 1/2 108 5/16
War Loan		

Closing Quotations

	October 29, 1936.	On New York
On LONDON:—		Bank Bills, on demand 30 3/16
Telegraphic Transfer	1 1/2	Credit, 60 days' sight 30 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	1 13/16	On BATAVIA:—
Credit, four months'	1 3/4	On demand
On SHANGHAI:—		On demand
On Demand	102 1/2	Bank Bills, on demand 648
On SINGAPORE:—		Credit, 4 months' sight 678 1/2
On Demand	32 9 1/16	On SAIGON:—
On JAPAN:—		On demand
On Demand	105 1/2	On MANILA:—
On INDIA:—		On demand
Telegraphic Transfer	8 1/2	On BANGKOK:—
Bank, on demand	8 1/2	On demand
		SOVEREIGNS Bank Buying
		Rate
		Bar SILVER, per oz.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

QUOTATIONS

New York, October 30.

	High	Low	Close	Today's Change
New York/London Cross-rate	117.72	118.22	118.22	1/16 off
New York Cotton—Dec.	16.79	16.75	16.79	1/16 off
New York Rubber—Dec.	11.41	11.43	11.43	1/16 off
Chicago Wheat—Dec.	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	1/16 off
Chicago Corn—Dec.	—	—	—	unchanged
Silver—Official	—	—	—	unchanged

	1936	Oct. 29.	High	Low	Close	Change
Dow Jones Averages	178.44	143.11	174.84	179.90	174.61	1.47 up
30 Industrials	60.45	40.99	58.42	59.17	58.98	.78 up
20 Rails	35.06	28.23	34.90	35.53	35.01	.53 up
20 Utilities	105.57	98.33	104.99	105.14	105.14	.16 up
40 Bonds	68.37	55.58	67.74	67.29	67.29	.36 off
11 Commodity Index	—	—	—	—	—	—

Business Done:—1,710,000 shares.

Stocks	Last Sale	Oct. 29	Stocks	Last Sale	Oct. 29
Adams Express	144	144	G. Western Sugar	35 1/2	35
Amer. Can.	125 1/2	125	Humble Oil	65 1/2	66 1/2
Amer. Cyanamid	35 1/2	35 1/2	Int. Harvester Co.	61	61 1/2
Am. & For. Power	6 1/2	7 1/2	Int. Tel. & Tel.	12 1/2	12 1/2
Am. & For. P. 47 pt	47	46 1/2	Kennecott	56	57
Am. Light & Trac.	36	36 1/2	Loew's Inc.	58 1/2	58 1/2
Amer. Locomotive	23	22 1/2	Lortillard	22 1/2	22 1/2
Amer. Radiator	30 1/2	31 1/2	McKesson & Rob.	44 1/2	44 1/2
Amer. Rolling Mill	90 1/2	92 1/2	bing Inc.	44 1/2	44 1/2
Amer. Smelting	53 1/2	54 1/2	Montgomery Ward	57 1/2	58 1/2
Am. Sugar Refining	178 1/2	179 1/2	Nat. City Bk.	41 1/2	41 1/2
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	99	99 1/2	Nat. Dairy Prods.	25 1/2	25
Amer. Tobacco	28 1/2	27 1/2	Nat. Distillers	28 1/2	28 1/2
Amer. Waterworks	46 1/2	47 1/2	Nat. Power & Light	12 1/2	13 1/2
Anaconda Copper	78 1/2	81 1/2	New York Central	45 1/2	46 1/2
Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe.	30 1/2	30 1/2	North American	32 1/2	33 1/2
Atlas Corp.	15	15	Northern Pacific	29 1/2	30 1/2
Auburn	32	32 1/2	Pacific Gas & Elec.	37 1/2	38 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	23	23 1/2	Pacific Lightening	51 1/2	52
Bethlehem Steel	71	71 1/2	Packard Motor	12 1/2	12 1/2
Boeing Airplane Co.	27 1/2	27 1/2	Paramount Picture	16 1/2	17 1/2
Borden Co.	27 1/2	27 1/2	Inc.	16 1/2	17 1/2
Ellyn - Manhattan	56	56 1/2	Pennsylvania R. R.	42 1/2	43 1/2
Trans. Corp.	56	56 1/2	Phillips Petroleum	45 1/2	46 1/2
Ellyn - Manhattan	56	56 1/2	Pure Oil Co.	46 1/2	46 1/2
So. cum. pf.	104 1/2	104 1/2	Pub. Service of N.J.	17 1/2	18
Case, J. I.	157 1/2	159	Radio Corp.	10 1/2	11 1/2
Canadian Pac. Ry.	123 1/2	123 1/2	Radio Corp. "B"	5 1/2	5 1/2
Chase Nat. Bk.	47 1/2	47 1/2	Reynolds' Tob. B.	57	57 1/2
Chesapeake Corp.	97 1/2	98	Schenley	50 1/2	50 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	76	77	Schenley 5 1/2 pt.	50 1/2	50 1/2
Chrysler	128 1/2	128 1/2	Sears, Roebuck	98 1/2	98 1/2
Columbia Gas & E.	19 1/2	20 1/2	Secony-Vacuum	16 1/2	17
C. G. & E. 6 1/2 pt.	104 1/2	104 1/2	Starn. Cal. Edison	31 1/2	31 1/2
Commercial Credit	68 1/2	70 1/2	Starn. Pacific	44 1/2	45 1/2
Coml. Solvents	16	16 1/2	Stand. Brands	17 1/2	17 1/2
Comm. & Southern	4	4 1/2	Stand. Gas Y. Elec.	7 1/2	8
Comm. & Southern	4	4 1/2	Stand. Oil of N.J.	67 1/2	68 1/2
Consolid. Gas of N.Y.	45 1/2	47 1/2	Sterling Prods.	75 1/2	75
Consolid. Oil	13 1/2	13 1/2	Swift International	31	31 1/2
Continental Oil	35	36	Technicolor	23	22 1/2
Corn. Products	71	70 1/2	Texas Gulf Sulphur	37 1/2	38 1/2
Curtiss Wright "A"	8 1/2	8 1/2	Transamerica	14 1/2	14 1/2
Curtiss Wright (C)	18 1/2	18 1/2	20th Cent. Fox Film	32 1/2	33 1/2
Delaware & Hudson	49	50 1/2	20th Cent. Fox Film	32 1/2	33 1/2
Distillers Corp. Sea-	23	23	Un. Carbide & Car-	88 1/2	100 1/2
grams	23	23	bon	88 1/2	100 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	72 1/2	73 1/2	Un. Pacific	143	141
Du Pont de Nemours	169	169 1/2	Un. Aircraft (New)	23 1/2	23 1/2
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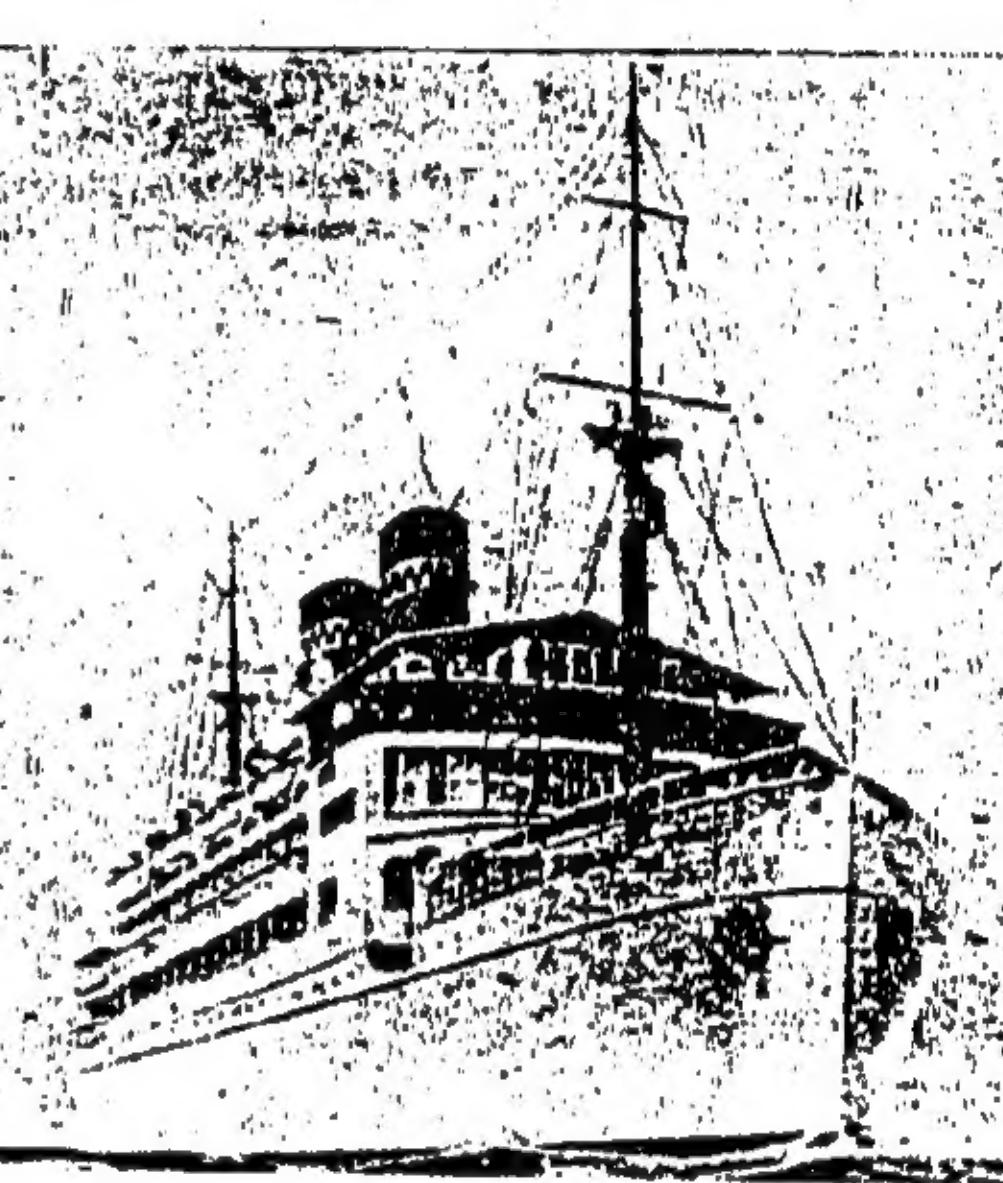
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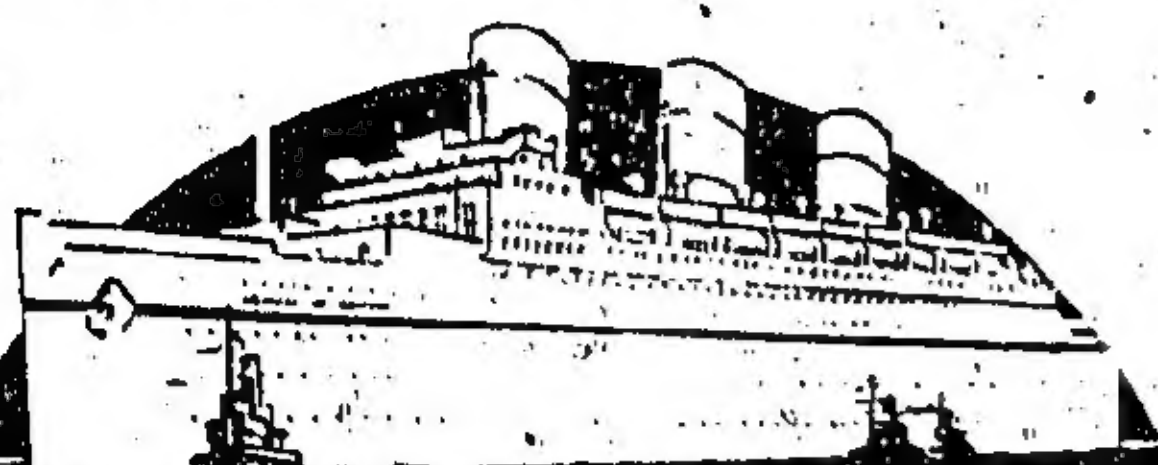
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MOVEMENTS OF SHIPS

To-Day's Arrivals

(BY T. S. M.)

S.S. "SOOCHOW"

The S.S. "Sochow" of Butterfield and Swire is due here to-day, and will berth at one of the Harbour Buoy.

She comes from Shanghai and Swatow, and will leave here for Swatow and Shanghai on Monday, November 2 at noon.

Letters of destination will be received at the General Post Office up to 10.30 a.m. on Monday, November 2.

S.S. "PRESIDENT JACKSON"

The S.S. "President Jackson" of the American Mail Line arrives here to-day, and will berth alongside the Kowloon Wharf.

She comes from U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai, and will sail for Manila to-night at 6.00 p.m.

Letters of destination will be received at the General Post Office up to 3.30 p.m. and 4.00 p.m. to-day.

S.S. "SUI YANG"

The S.S. "Sui Yang" of Butterfield and Swire is due here to-day, and will berth at one of the Harbour Buoy.

She comes from Shanghai and Swatow, and will sail for Swatow, Shanghai and Tsingtao on Wednesday, November 4 at 10.00 a.m.

S.S. "TSINAN"

The S.S. "Tsinan" of Butterfield and Swire is expected to arrive here to-morrow, and will berth at one of the Harbour Buoy.

She comes from Shanghai and Amoy, and will sail for Amoy and Shanghai on Wednesday, November 4 at 5.00 p.m.

Letters of destination will be received at the General Post Office up to 3.30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 4.

S.S. "MENTOR"

The S.S. "Mentor" of Butterfield and Swire is expected to arrive here on Monday, November 2 at 6.00 a.m., and will berth at one of the Harbour Buoy.

She comes from the Straits, and will leave here for Shanghai and Japan on Tuesday, November 3.

Letters of destination will be received at the General Post Office up to 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday, November 3.

S.S. "DEUCALION"

The S.S. "Deucalion" of Butterfield and Swire is expected to arrive here on Tuesday, Nov. 3, and will berth at one of the Harbour Buoy.

She comes from Shanghai, and will sail for the Straits, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt and Europe (via Marseilles) due Marseilles, Decem-

NEWS FROM THE WATERFRONT

Freight And Asiatic Passengers Returns

(BY LONGSHOREMAN)

The freight returns, received from the Harbour Office during the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday, showed a fairly high tonnage movement, a large proportion of which being made up by British ships.

The total tonnage of general cargo carried by vessels to the Colony was 19,651 tons, with British steamers carrying 4,945 tons.

Through cargo for ports beyond the Colony amounted to 18,559 tons, of which 8,350 tons were carried by British steamers.

Asiatic dock passengers entering into the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday were 412, of which 273 were from British steamers.

There were altogether fourteen arrivals, of which four were of British registry, the remainder being of other nationalities, while of the sixteen departures, five were British ships, the rest being of other different countries. Particulars as follows:-

Nationality	Ships	Tonnage
British	4	13,295
American	1	6,343
Dutch	1	873
Norwegian	1	—
French	1	1,441
Japanese	3	12,898
Chinese	3	3,660
Total	14	38,510

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30.

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ber 2, and London Parces—due London, December 9) on Wednesday, November 4.

Parcels will be received at the General Post Office and Kowloon Post Office up to 5.00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 3, while registered articles and letters of destination will be received up to 9.45 a.m. and 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday, November 4.

S.S. "ATREUS"

The S.S. "Atreus" of Butterfield and Swire is expected to arrive here on Tuesday, November 3 at 1.00 p.m.

She comes from the Straits.

ARRIVALS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30.

Hong Kheng, British steamer, 3,975 tons, Captain D. M. Hood, from Swatow, buoy No. A5.—Ho Thong & Co.

Mau Sang, British steamer, 2,063 tons, Captain P. Jowitt, from Sandakan, buoy No. B22.—J. M. & Co.

Asphallion, British steamer, 4,285 tons, Captain R. S. Braddon, from Yokohama via Shanghai, Holt's Wharf.—Butterfield and Swire.

Hai Tan, British steamer, 2,225 tons, Captain O. H. Farrar, from Foochow and Amoy via Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

Pres. Coolidge, American steamer, 13,020 tons, Captain K. A. Ahlin, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Dollar Line.

Marion Moller, British steamer, 2,440 tons, Captain W. G. Anderson, from Canton, lying at Mackies Wharf.—A. E. Gerondal.

Felix Roussel, French steamer, 9,400 tons, Captain J. Georges, from Marseilles via Saigon, lying at Kowloon Wharf.—M. M. & Co.

G. G. Paul Doumer, French str., 734 tons, Capt. P. B. Morganti, from K. C. Wan, buoy No. B4.—M. M. & Co.

Hang Sang, British steamer, 1,358 tons, Captain Hopkins, from Swatow, berth at buoy No. B8.—J. M. & Co.

Kagu Maru, Japanese steamer, 3,609 tons, Captain S. Iwata, from Singapore, buoy No. A7.—N. Y. K.

Burdwan, British steamer, 2,879 tons, Captain T. E. Daniel, from London via Singapore, lying at Kowloon Wharf.—M. M. & Co.

General Lee, American steamer, 2,732 tons, Captain A. D. Hansen, from Manila, berthing at Kowloon Wharf.—States & Co.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29.

Da Shing, Chinese steamer, 1,990 tons, Captain F. Semmelman, from Sandakan, lying at Yau-mat.—Kwong Sang Loong.

Foo Lee, Chinese steamer, 859 tons, Captain Y. Yamaguchi, from Tsingtao, lying at buoy No. B11.—Yee Tai Hong.

Tangshan Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,285 tons, Captain N. Satoh, from Canton, lying at Yau-mat.—N. Y. K.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong Radio to-day:—Pacific Maru, Hang Sang, Kitano Maru, H.M.T. Diwara, La Perouse, Prominent, President Jackson, Asama Maru, President Adams, Thistlebrae, Potsdam, M.V. Synesstar, Gneisenau, Katari Maru, and Empress of Canada.

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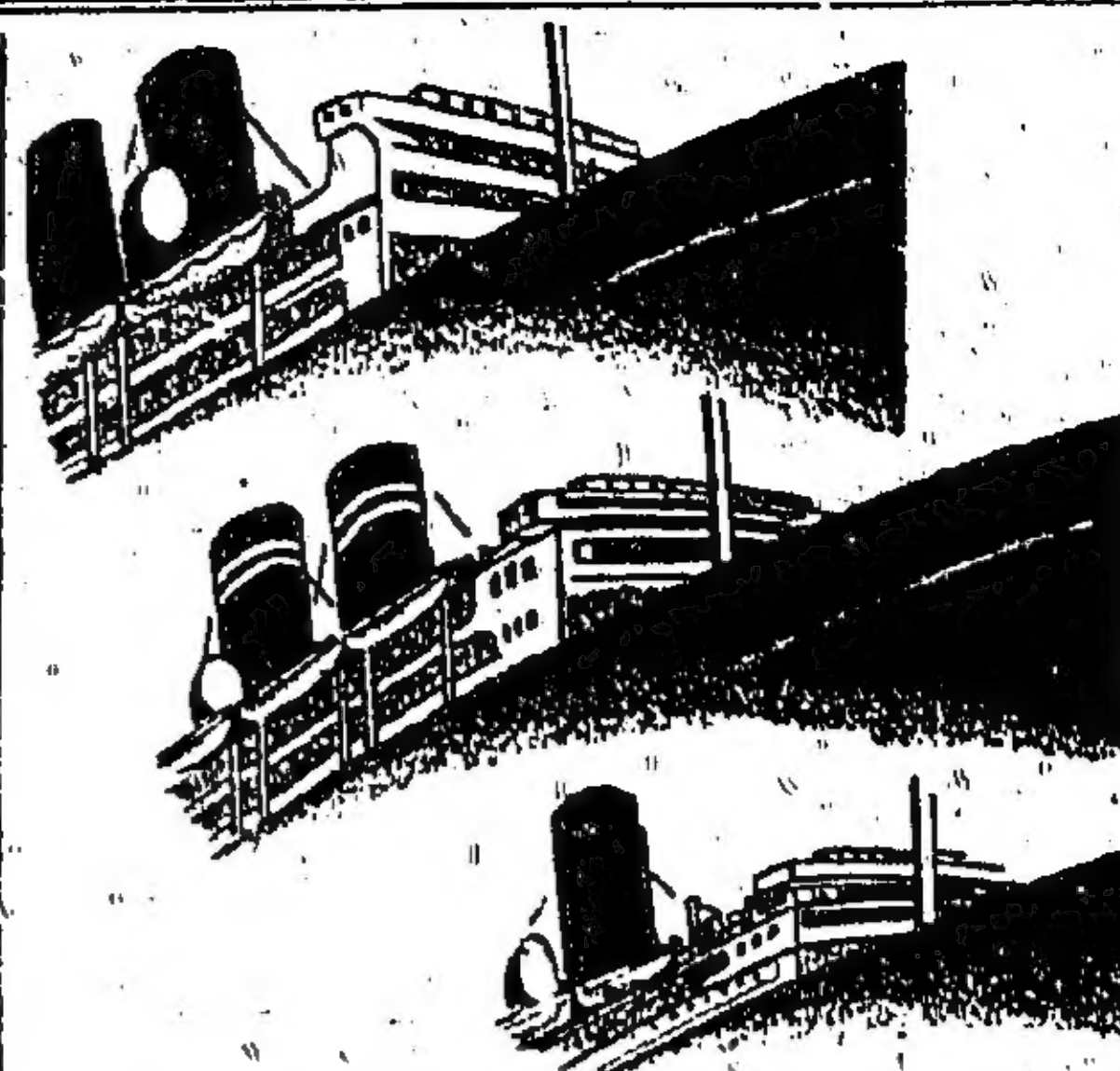
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*BURDWAN	6,000	8th Dec	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*JEPPORE	6,000	7th Dec	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*NALDERA	17,000	12th Dec	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*COMORIN	17,000	28th Dec	Bombay, Marseilles & London
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TALMA	10,000	18th Nov	do
TILAWA	10,000	18th Nov	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
NALDERA	17,000	18th Nov	Shanghai & Japan
*SOMALI	6,000	25th Nov	do
SANTHIA	8,000	28th Nov	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
COMORIN	17,000	27th Nov	Shanghai & Japan
NANKIN	7,000	6th Dec	Shanghai & Japan
TALAWA	10,000	10th Dec	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
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Chiang Kai Shek's Birthday Message

(Continued from Page 1.)

crisis due to internal and external difficulties but it over four million sons and daughters stood by their country as a mother stood by her family China also would win through.

Means of salvation should be sought in the united self-reliant efforts of her people for which he urged the nation not to be dismayed at the apparent triumph of injustice but to continue to strive for power and righteousness and defend and glorify the national heritage.

Reuter.

IMPORTANCE OF CELEBRATION

In honour of the celebration of Marshal Chiang Kai-shek's 50th birthday, General Chan Kuei-yau, High Advisor and personal representative of the Generalissimo in Hong Kong gave a special statement to the local vernacular papers yesterday when the local Chinese communities were highly commended on their endeavours in national salvation work.

General Chan, in his statement, emphasized the importance of the celebration especially in this time of emergency. "China needs unification," he says, "and we have got it." "It gives us much more pleasure to see China strongly united on the occasion of our Nation's Leader's birthday."

Central News Agency.

TO-DAY'S WEDDING

Novel Bouquet To Be
Carried By Bride

DEACON-BRAUDE

A wedding of considerable local interest will be solemnized at the St. John's Cathedral this afternoon, when Irene Deacon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Deacon, will become the bride of Arthur N. Braude, A.E. (E.E.) AMALEE, son of the late Rev. A. St. C. Braude and Mrs. H. Harding.

Both have spent many years in the Colony.

Mr. Braude is a keen member of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, being 2nd Lt and Officer Commanding, the M.G. Battalion Signal Section.

Piquancy will be added to the ceremony when the bride will be escorted to the church and the bride and bridesmaid from the church by members of the M.G. Battalion Signals, on motor-cycles.

Following the wedding a reception will be held at the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden.

Of unusual interest is the fact that the bride will carry a "Silver and Gold Wedding" bouquet, comprising lilies from Manila and heather from Scotland.

JIM MOLLISON SUCCEEDS

(Continued from Page 1.)

Mollison will sleep in London tonight and will start for the Cape very soon but will probably not be flying solo. He may find a young pilot to accompany him, Mrs. Amy Mollison was too ill, following her recent accident, to welcome her husband.

Reuter.

London, Oct. 30.
Mollison was lifted exhausted from his machine and leaned heavily on the wing as he answered necessary questions from a Customs officer. He then staggered through the crowd who were shouting "good old Jim!" towards the front of the plane, where he posed for photographs.

He said that he made the coast to coast flight in ten hours and waited an hour in the mid-Atlantic in circling and trying to dissolve ice on the wings. He might go on to the Cape within a day.

"I am damned tired and want a whiskey soda and rest," said the aviator.

Mollison refused to discuss about his wife.

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Enthusiastic Racegoers



Miss Crappell and Mr. Donald Alaster seemed to be "on a good thing" as they walked briskly along the promenade in the members' enclosure.

Charges Against Manila Man

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CONFIRMED REPORTS
Mr. von Helber re-examined the Bicol Gold workings. He returned to Manila early in October and made a report in which he confirmed the findings of the independent engineers. He stated that he was unable to understand the discrepancy between his reports and those of the engineers who checked the development work.

An investigation into all work done on both properties, and into the discrepancies, was started by officials of Cabit and of Bicol Gold.

Alfredo L. Yanco, collector of internal revenue at Manila, stated that Mr. von Helber was given a correctly certified tax clearance report prior to his departure. This certification was signed by two business men who assumed the usual liability. Mr. Yanco pointed out that the responsibility so assumed was for tax liability only and not for any other acts or obligations of Mr. von Helber. He further declared that the two men who signed the certificate were known to his office and known to be fully adequate to assume the tax responsibility.

H. W. Campbell, trustee of the Cabit Mining Company, and J. C. Miller subsequently confirmed a report that they were the signatories to the tax clearance certificate, which Mr. Campbell said was issued on Friday, October 23.

HALLOWEEN DINNER

Scottish Company
Celebration

CAPT. H. R. FORSYTH'S
COMMENTS

Presiding at the annual Halloween Dinner of the Scottish Company at the Volunteer Headquarters last night, Capt. H. R. Forsyth, Officer Commanding the Company, in the course of his speech, referred to the recruiting campaign and said that the slogan "Join, join, join" was all wrong. To force a man to join the Corps just to make it numerically strong was wrong. The efficiency of the company and the general smartness would make a man join of his own accord.

The hall was tastefully decorated for the occasion and the haggis was piped in traditional manner. An excellent programme of musical entertainment was also rendered.

Guests present included Lt-Col. R. C. B. Anderson, Commandant of the H.K.V.D.C., Mr. R. M. McLay, Chief of St. Andrew's Society, Sir Atholl MacGregor, Vice-Chief of St. Andrew's Society, Lt-Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Lt-Col. A. C. Marsh, Col. H. C. Harrison, G.S.O. (D), Major E. J. R. Mitchell, Major V. E. Duclos, Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow, Major H. A. Davies, Messrs. A. E. Mackichan, J. R. Masson and A. Stevenson.

CAMP NEXT YEAR
Capt. Forsyth said that he had good news for the Scottish Company and that there was a possibility for them to go to camp at the end of February with the Seaforth Highlanders.

Referring to night operations, Capt. Forsyth said that they were most valuable in that they afforded the Volunteers an opportunity of meeting the regulars.

Musketry in the Scottish Company, he said, if anything, had fallen off slightly. After all they were a machine gun company but

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ALLIANCE WITH EGYPT

London, Oct. 30
After noting that the relations with foreign powers continued to be friendly, the King's speech referred to the signing of the treaty of alliance with the King of Egypt and proceeded "It is my earnest hope that this treaty when ratified will be the beginning of a new era in which the friendly co-operation that has marked the relations between my country and Egypt in the past will be confirmed and strengthened. The conference was held at Montreux in the summer for the revision of the Straits Convention of Lausanne. The successful outcome of this conference, to which I am pleased to think that my Government contributed, has set a happy example for the future. The assembly of the League of Nations have recently opened the enquiry into the working of the Covenant and my Government, which remain firmly attached to the principles of the Covenant, have made known their views upon the manner in which its application might be improved. My ministers have been engaged in negotiations for the meeting between the Five Powers signatory to the treaty of Locarno on the basis of agreement reached by my Government, and the governments of France and Belgium in London on July 23. These negotiations are continuing.

His Majesty added, "My ministers were glad to be able in conjunction with the Government of the United States of America to lend their co-operation to the scheme for the readjustment of the value of French currency. I trust that the measures taken recently by the French and several other governments will pave the way for further improvement in international trade."

After the usual expression of thanks to the members of Commons for the provision made for the public service and for arrangements made for the maintenance of the honour and dignity of the Crown, the speech proceeded to domestic matters including the steady pursuance of measures essential for improving and strengthening all three defence forces. Gratification was expressed at further marked increases in trade and that unemployment was diminishing and that employment during the year had reached the highest level ever recorded. On the subject of development of the national health services, good progress have been made with the clearance and replacement of stumps and the surveys of overcrowding and provision of new housing accommodation were noted.

British Wireless.

JUMBLE SALE

The Ladies committee of the Hong Kong Union Church, Kennedy Road held a successful Jumble Sale in the Church Hall yesterday afternoon. The proceeds are for Church funds.

at the same time in past years they had always figured prominently in the Volunteer Corps musketty competitions. This year they were "not so bad."

The motto of the Company was, "It is better to have travelled hopefully than to have arrived."

Capt. Forsyth welcomed the Chief of St. Andrew's Society and the other guests.

Toasts to His Majesty the King and the Guests were duly honoured.

Other speakers during the evening included Sir Atholl MacGregor.

FOREIGN MAILS

CHRISTMAS PARCEL MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

The Christmas Parcel mail for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office at 5 p.m. on Friday, the 13th November per s.s. Carthage. The public are kindly requested to post early.

This Mail is due to arrive at London on the 18th December.

Letters and Postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS

FROM	PER	DATE
SHANGHAI and SWATOW ...	Boochow ...	31st Oct.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 1st October) ...	Pres. Jackson ...	31st Oct.
SHANGHAI and SWATOW ...	Singapore ...	31st Oct.
SHANGHAI and AMOY ...	Tinian ...	1st Nov.
STRAITS ...	Manila ...	2nd Nov.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways" Direct Service—London date, 24th October.	R.M.A. Dorado ...	3rd Nov.
SHANGHAI ...	Deucalion ...	3rd Nov.
SHANGHAI ...	Aramis ...	3rd Nov.
MANILA ...	Gneissau ...	3rd Nov.
STRAITS ...	Van Heuts ...	3rd Nov.
STRAITS ...	Alreus ...	3rd Nov.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS ...	Yungwan ...	4th Nov.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA ...	Tonka ...	4th Nov.
JAPAN ...	Arabia Maru ...	4th Nov.
AMOI ...	Sirdhana ...	5th Nov.
MANILA ...	Pres. Jackson ...	6th Nov.
HAIPHONG ...	Canton ...	6th Nov.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI ...	Soudan ...	6th Nov.
STRAITS and London Parcel—London date, 1st October	Antenor ...	6th Nov.
STRAITS ...	Ecumen ...	6th Nov.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA ...	Taipei ...	6th Nov.
JAPAN, SHANGHAI and FORMOSA (Yokohama, 1st October) ...	Asakura Maru ...	6th Nov.
SHANGHAI (Vancouver B.C. 17th Oct.)	Emp. of Canada ...	6th Nov.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 9th October) ...	Pres. Harrison ...	6th Nov.
JAPAN and MANILA ...	Tisavara ...	7th Nov.
STRAITS ...	Buwa Maru ...	8th Nov.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 18th October) ...	Pres. Lincoln ...	8th Nov.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS ...	Tisavara ...	10th Nov.
STRAITS ...	Gleniffer ...	10th Nov.
JAPAN ...	Tisavara ...	11th Nov.
MANILA ...	Victoria ...	11th Nov.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI ...	General Pershing ...	11th Nov.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI ...	Carthage ...	11th Nov.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 24th October) ...	Pres. McKinley ...	12th Nov.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS ...	Hosang ...	14th Nov.

OUTWARD MAILS

REGISTERED AND PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 8 p.m. on the previous day.

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SATURDAY		
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 18th November and EUROPE via Siberia	Pres. Coolidge ...	Let. 31st, 8.30 A.M.
STRAITS, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 27th November	Corfu ...	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 31st, 9.45 A.M. Let. 31st, 10.30 A.M.
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due Amsterdam, 9th Nov.	Corfu ...	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.30 A.M. Let. 10.00 A.M.
*Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 17th November	Fellows ...	Parcels Room. Reg. 1.45 P.M. Letters 1.30 P.M.
Haiphong	Canton ...	G.P.O. & K.P.O. 2.00 P.M.
Letters for Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A., by "Pan-American Airways Service"—due San Francisco, 10th November.	Pres. Jackson ...	Reg. 3.30 P.M. Let. 4.00 P.M.
Manila	Pres. Jackson ...	4.30 P.M.
*Shanghai and Japan	Burdwan ...	4.30 P.M.
Amoy	Kinriuan ...	4.30 P.M.
Shanghai	Shanghai ...	4.30 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Egypt and EUROPE via Brindisi—due Brindisi, 2nd November	Conte Verde ...	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.15 P.M. Letters 4.00 P.M.
Saigon	Lyonmoon ...	8.00 P.M.
SUNDAY		
Footow via Swatow	Hannan ...	9.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru ...	9.10 A.M.
MONDAY		
Swatow	Boochow ...	Monday, 2nd, 10.30 A.M.
Amoy, Bayard, Hoibow, Pakhui and Haiphong	G. G. Paul Doumer ...	1.00 P.M.
TUESDAY		
*Shanghai and Japan	Manila ...	Tuesday, 2nd, 9.30 A.M.
Batavia	Tisalak ...	9.30 A.M.
Letters for "Air Orient Service"—due Marseilles, 15th Nov.	Aramis ...	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 10.30 A.M. Let. 11.00 A.M.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, East, and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 30th November	Aramis ...	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 11.45 A.M. Letters 11.30 A.M.
Shanghai and EUROPE via Siberia	Gneissau ...	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 2nd, 5.15 P.M. Reg. 4th, 9.45 A.M. Let. 4th, 10.30 A.M.
Straits, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 2nd December—and London Parcel—due London, 9th December.	Deucalion ...	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 2nd, 5.15 P.M. Reg. 4th, 9.45 A.M. Let. 4th, 10.30 A.M.
WEDNESDAY		
Amoy	Tinian ...	Wednesday, 4th, 2.30 P.M.
THURSDAY		
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due Amsterdam, 18th Nov.	Arabia Maru ...	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 1.30 P.M. Let. 2.00 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa	Arabia Maru ...	1.30 P.M.
Japan	Yungwan ...	5.00 P.M.

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